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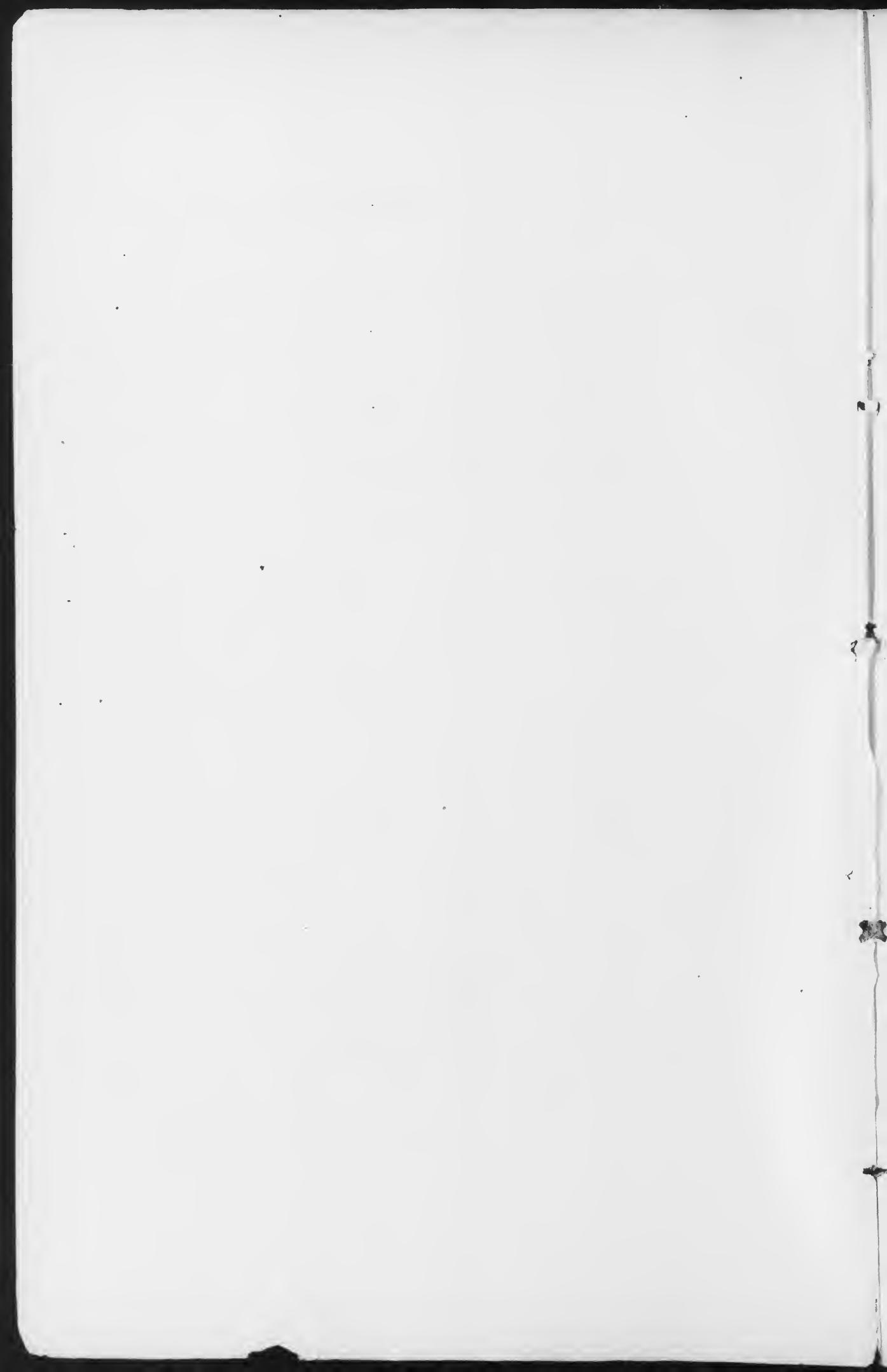
FIFTIETH SESSION AT REIDSVILLE, N. C.,

December 1st to 7th, 1886.

BISHOP JOHN C. GRANBERRY, PRESIDENT.
DONALD W. BAIN, SECRETARY.

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JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS.

FIRST DAY.

The North Carolina Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, convened in its Fiftieth Session at the Methodist Church, in the town of Reidsville, N. C., on Wednesday morning, December 1st, 1886, at 10 o'clock, Bishop JOHN C. GRANBERY presiding, who opened the Conference with religious services.

DONALD W. BAIN, Secretary of the last Conference, called the roll and the following responded:

Clerical—Robert O. Burton, Joseph H. Wheeler, Washington S. Chaffin, Nathan A. Hooker, T. Page Ricaud, Solomon H. Helsabeck, Nathan H. D. Wilson, Joseph B. Martin, William H. Bobbitt, Lingurn S. Burkhead, Paul J. Carraway, Zebedee Rush, George W. Ivey, Thomas W. Guthrie, Shockley D. Adams, James E. Mann, Isaac F. Keerans, Caswell W. King, Jesse S. Nelson, Simeon D. Peeler, William S. Black, Jesse A. Cuninggim, Moses J. Hunt, Joseph C. Thomas, Thomas L. Triplett, Joseph Wheeler, Marquis L. Wood, J. B. Bobbitt, Robert G. Barrett, Alexander D. Betts, William C. Gannon, Samuel V. Hoyle, David R. Bruton, VanBuren A. Sharpe, G. W. Callahan, John R. Brooks, John W. Jenkins, Robert A. Willis, Bernice B. Culbreth, Peter L. Herman, R. T. N. Stephenson, Richard S. Webb, Franklin H. Wood, James D. Carpenter, Thomas J. Gattis, William H. Moore, Wesley M. Robey, Alexander R. Raven, Edwin A. Yates, John C. Hartsell, Thomas A. Boone, George F. Round, Martin V. Sherrill, Joseph R. Griffith, Maxwell H. Hoyle, Leonidas W. Crawford, John F. Heitman, Joseph J. Renn, Albert G. Gantt, Junius T. Harris, Frank L. Reid, James Willson, Robah F. Bumpass, John T. Bagwell, Frederick D. Swindell, Philip Greening, William C. Norman, Jonathan Sanford, Lucian J. Holden, P. F. W. Stamey, James R. Scroggs, Christie A. Gault, Marcus W. Boyles, James M. Lumley, Nathaniel M. Jurney, Jeremiah F. Craven, William S. Rone, John T. Gibbs, Leonidas L. Nash, Benjamin R. Hall, Jonathan B. Carpenter, Franklin A. Bishop, Walter S. Creasy, William B. Doub, James T. Lyon, George W. Hardison, Thomas H. Pegram, Nereus E. Coltrane, Joseph C. Rowe, Pinckney L. Groome, Rufus C. Beaman, Andrew P. Tyer, Ludolphus E. Thompson, Daniel L. Earnhardt, Matthew H. Moore, James O. Guthrie, J. Edwin Thompson, Frank L. Townsend, Francis B. McCall, William L. Cuninggim,

William S. Hales, Thomas A. Stone, John T. Finlayson, Joseph D. Arnold, Daniel A. Watkins, John W. Jones, Robert L. Warlick, William B. North, James T. Kendall, Walter T. Cutchin, Jesse H. Page, James F. Washburn, Charles P. Show, Robert M. Hoyle, William L. Grissom, John T. Abernethy, Edward L. Pell, George A. Oglesby, James E. Gay, John H. Hall, Clayter W. Smith, Charles O. Durant, Lawrence O. Wyche, Isaac A. White, Alpheus McCullen, Charles W. Byrd, Jacob A. Lee, Marcus D. Giles, Thomas S. Ellington, Barzilia C. Allred, James A. Bowles, Robert P. Troy, John E. Underwood, James M. Ashby, Daniel H. Tuttle, Hugh M. Blair, John B. Hurley, Roderick B. John, Frank M. Shamberger, Marshall A. Smith, Thomas J. Daily, Wesley M. Bagby, Oliver Ryder.

LAY DELEGATES.

Raleigh District—D. W. Bain, Arthur Arrington, Millard Mial alternate in place of J. A. Stallings.

Durham District—W. F. Stroud, J. H. Southgate, A. G. Headen, J. A. Waller.

Greensboro District—J. C. Pinnix, E. E. Gray alternate in place of C. H. Ireland.

Salisbury District—M. L. Holmes, W. T. Tucker, A. L. Coburn.

Shelby District—J. S. Martin.

Charlotte District—J. M. Dunlap, J. A. Ardrey, J. H. Winchester.

Fayetteville District—K. H. Worthy, R. D. Phillips, H. C. Wall alternate in place of F. B. Gibson.

Wilmington District—A. J. Johnson, W. J. Parker, W. M. Parker alternate in place of W. S. Dosher, D. C. Geddie alternate in place of J. C. Davis.

New Berne District—T. A. Green, A. C. Davis.

Warrenton District—John F. Bruton, G. T. Simmons.

Washington District—E. C. Glenn, Wm. Lowe alternate in place of J. M. Benson.

Trinity College District—F. E. Asbury, C. F. Siler, W. A. Woolen.

On motion of E. A. YATES, DONALD W. BAIN was elected Secretary.

On motion of R. O. BURTON, W. L. CUNINGGIM was elected Assistant Secretary.

On motion of D. W. BAIN, J. B. CARPENTER and N. M. JURNEY were elected Statistical Secretaries, and G. T. SIMMONS was elected Recording Secretary.

On motion of D. R. BRUTON, the space midway between the third and fourth windows was designated the bar of the Conference.

On motion of D. R. BRUTON, the hours for opening and adjournment of Conference were fixed respectively at 9½ o'clock A. M., and 1 o'clock P. M.

On motion of R. O. BURTON, J. A. CUNINGGIM, D. R. BRUTON and J. G. STAPLES were appointed the committee on Public Worship.

On motion of R. G. BARRETT, the Presiding Elders were constituted a committee to nominate Standing Committees of the present session of the Conference.

R. S. WEBB moved that the chairmen of the Examining Committees be appointed a committee to nominate the Examining Committees for the ensuing four years.

R. O. BURTON moved as a substitute, that the Presiding Elders, with the concurrence of the Bishop, nominate said committees, which was adopted.

A communication from Rev. DAVID MORTON, D.D., Corresponding Secretary of the Church Extension Board of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was read and referred to the Board of Church Extension.

A communication from Rev. J. B. MCFERRIN, D. D., Trustee of the Calvin Fund, stating the proportionate amount of the interest on said fund due the Widows and Orphans of this Conference for the current Conference year to be \$39.00, and enclosing draft for that amount, was read and referred to the Joint Board of Finance.

Question 6 was called, viz: Who are received by transfer from other Conferences?

The Bishop announced the transfer of JAMES B. BOBBITT from the Baltimore Conference.

On motion of D. R. BRUTON, D. H. TUTTLE was appointed to receive the amounts due from members of this Conference to the Publishing House.

Question 20th was called, viz: Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?

The name of JOHN T. BAGWELL, an elder of the Greensboro District, was called.

J. A. CUNINGGIM, Presiding Elder of the Greensboro District, announced that, during the interval of the Annual Conference, he had received reports against the moral character of JOHN T. BAGWELL, and appointed a committee of investigation, composed of nine traveling elders, who, after due investigation, had suspended the said JOHN T. BAGWELL and formulated charges of immorality, and appointed JAMES E. MANN prosecutor.

He now presented to the Conference the papers in the case.

N. H. D. WILSON moved that a committee of thirteen elders be appointed by the Bishop to try the case, which motion was adopted.

The call of Question 20th was renewed.

ISAAC F. KEERANS, WILLIAM H. CALL, THOMAS C. MOSES, ELISHA J. EUDAILY and JAMES WILLSON passed the examination of character and their applications for a supernumerary relation were referred to the committee on Conference Relations.

SQUIRE M. DAVIS passed the examination of character.

GEORGE E. WYCHE, WILLIS S. HALTOM, DANIEL CULBRETH, JAMES W. RANDALL, MILES FOY, WILLIAM W. ALBEA, THOMAS L. HOYLE, GASTON FARRAR, EDWARD HOWLAND, JOSEPH H. WHEELER, MARCUS C. THOMAS, HILARY T. HUDSON, CLARENDRON M. PEPPER, THOMAS S. CAMPBELL, HENRY H. GIBBONS and CHARLES M. ANDERSON passed the examination of character and their applications for a superannuated relation were referred to the committee on Conference Relations.

JOHN W. JENKINS passed the examination of character.

Rev. J. WALTER DICKSON, of the South Carolina Conference,

Rev. W. L. WRIGHT, Pastor of the Baptist Church of Reidsville, N. C., and

Rev. J. H. LAMBERTH, Pastor of the Baptist Church of Roxboro, N. C., were introduced to the Conference.

A communication from Rev. J. B. MCFERRIN, D. D., Book Agent, accompanying statements of the Agent and Business Manager, and report of the Book Committee, of the Publishing House of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was received and referred to the committee on Books and Periodicals.

A communication from Rev. I. G. JOHN, D. D., Secretary of the Board of Missions of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was received and referred to the Board of Missions.

Question 20 was recalled, viz: Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?

The following elders passed the examination of character:

RALEIGH DISTRICT—N. H. D. Wilson, W. C. Norman, W. L. Cuninggim, J. B. Martin, Philip Greening, J. J. Renn, T. A. Boone, N. E. Coltrane, J. E. Thompson, I. W. Avent, D. A. Watkins, F. L. Reid.

DURHAM DISTRICT—W. S. Black, W. S. Creasy, L. E. Thompson, J. R. Griffith, L. L. Nash, L. L. Johnson, B. R. Hall, R. T. N. Stephenson, A. W. Mangum.

GREENSBORO DISTRICT—J. E. Mann, T. H. Pegram, John Tillett, M. J. Hunt, J. R. Scroggs, S. H. Helsabeck, R. G. Barrett, D. R. Bruton, J. D. Buie, J. C. Thomas.

The application of I. W. AVENT for a supernumerary relation was referred to the committee on Conference Relations.

The application of JOHN TILLETT for a superannuated relation was referred to the committee on Conference Relations.

The Conference adjourned with the Long Metre Doxology, and benediction by the Bishop.

SECOND DAY.

THURSDAY, December 2d, 1886.

The Conference convened at 9½ o'clock, Bishop GRANBERY in the chair, and was opened with religious services, conducted by Rev. T. A. BOONE.

The roll was called and the following responded in addition to those present yesterday:

Clerical—C. M. Pepper, W. C. Willson, John E. Thompson, Lucius E. Stacy, James H. Cordon, T. J. Browning, J. N. Cole, A. M. Lowe.

Lay—*Raleigh District*—R. H. Whitaker.

Statesville District—G. W. Sparger, J. B. Connelly.

Charlotte District—J. H. Winchester.

Trinity College District—J. R. Evans, alternate in place of R. H. Skeen.

On motion of R. O. BURTON, the calling of the roll was dispensed with after this day.

The Journal of yesterday's session was read and approved.

On motion of R. O. BURTON, the hour of 10 o'clock tomorrow morning was set apart for the consideration of the interests of Trinity College.

Mr. L. D. PALMER, Business Manager of the Publishing House of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was presented to the Conference, who addressed the body in the interests of the House.

N. H. D. WILSON, from the committee of Presiding Elders, presented the following nominations of committees, which were confirmed:

ON BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

Clerical—W. C. Norman, W. S. Creasy, J. R. Scroggs, G. A. Oglesby, A. P. Tyer, T. J. Daily, R. S. Webb, J. T. Gibbs, E. A. Yates, R. C. Beaman, L. J. Holden, T. J. Gattis, W. T. Cutchin.

Laymen—Millard Mial, W. F. Stroud, E. E. Gray, W. T. Tucker, J. B. Connelly, J. S. Martin, W. J. Boylin, H. C. Wall, A. J. Johnson, A. C. Davis, George T. Simmons, E. C. Glenn, F. E. Asbury.

ON CHURCH PROPERTY.

Clerical—J. B. Martin, J. R. Griffith, J. C. Thomas, Joseph Wheeler, M. V. Sherrill, J. C. Hartsell, F. B. McCall, F. L. Townsend, I. A. White, A. D. Betts, W. B. North, J. O. Guthrie, S. V. Hoyle.

Laymen—Arthur Arrington, A. G. Headen, C. B. Watson, Eli Lentz, G. W. Sparger, D. E. Field, J. A. Ardrey, R. D. Phillips, D. C. Geddie, T. A. Green, J. F. Bruton, M. J. Norman, J. R. Evans.

ON BIBLE CAUSE.

Clerical—J. D. Arnold, L. E. Thompson, M. J. Hunt, G. F. Round, W. M. Bagby, C. G. Little, J. E. Thompson, J. T. Finlayson, R. L. Warlick, W. J. Crowson, B. B. Holder, E. L. Pell, S. D. Peeler.

Laymen—D. W. Bain, J. A. Waller, D. E. Field, M. L. Holmes, Francis Miller, J. S. Martin, J. M. Dunlap, A. F. Page, A. J. Johnson, J. W. Grainger, N. P. Boddie, William Lowe, C. F. Siler.

ON CONFERENCE RELATIONS.

J. E. Thompson, R. T. N. Stephenson, R. G. Barrett, Zebedee Rush, G. W. Ivey, J. M. Lumly, M. H. Moore, L. E. Stacy, Daniel May, L. W. Crawford, A. R. Raven, T. P. Ricaud, F. H. Wood.

ON MEMOIRS.

P. F. W. Stamey, L. S. Burkhead, Zebedee Rush, Joseph H. Wheeler.

ON DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS.

W. C. Willson, C. W. Byrd, F. M. Shamburger, H. C. Wall, J. H. Southgate.

ON TEMPERANCE.

Clerical—Philip Greening, R. B. John, R. P. Troy, T. A. Stone, J. T. Abernathy, G. W. Callahan, G. W. Hardison, W. S. Chaffin, A. G. Gantt, J. F. Washburn, J. N. Cole, B. B. Culbreth, J. E. Gay.

Laymen—R. H. Whitaker, J. H. Southgate, E. E. Gray, Eli Lentz, P. G. Moore, Thos. E. Field, J. H. Winchester, K. H. Worthy, W. M. Parker, A. C. Davis, G. T. Simmons, E. C. Glenn, W. A. Woolen.

On motion of J. R. BROOKS, it was ordered that a committee of seven be appointed on Colportage, to be nominated by the Presiding Elders.

Revs. W. W. ROYALL and J. J. LAFFERTY, of the Virginia Conference, and Rev. D. I. CRAIG, Pastor of the Presbyterian Church of Reidsville, N. C., were introduced to the Conference.

Question 2d was called, viz: Who remain on trial?

GEORGE BASCOM PERRY, ERSKINE POPE, WILLIAM S. DAVIS, SOLOMON POOL, JAMES MONROE DOWNUM, GEO. W. FISHER, ROBERT M. TAYLOR, JOSEPH A. GREEN, THOMAS C. LOVIN, WILLIAM H. TOWNSEND, CURTIS W. GODWIN, MAJOR T. BEST, THEODORE P. BONNER, ROBERT B. GILLIAM, AMOS GREGSON and WILLIAM A. FORBES passed the examination of character, were approved by the Examining Committee, and continued on trial.

WILLIAM O. HIGHTOWER and NATHAN HALL GUYTON

passed the examination of character, but failing to appear before the Committee of Examination, were continued on trial in the class of the first year.

CHARLES JONES SOON, Missionary in China, passed the examination of character, and, without examination by the committee, was advanced to the class of the second year.

Rev. JAMES ATKINS, D. D., of the Holston Conference, was introduced to the Conference.

Question 8th was called, viz: What traveling preachers are elected deacons?

MILES M. MCFARLAND, JOHN J. GRIGG, JOHN A. HORNADAY, SAMUEL R. BELK, WILLIAM F. COFFIN, DUNCAN A. FUTRELL, JOSEPH G. NELSON, JAMES R. BETTS, WILLIAM W. ROSE, and JOHN E. WOOSLEY, passed the examination of character, and having been approved by the Examining Committee, were elected to deacon's orders.

Question 2d was again called, viz: Who remain on trial?

BASCOM A. YORK passed the examination of character, was approved by the Examining Committee and continued on trial in the class of the second year.

The Bishop announced the following committee of trial in the case of JOHN T. BAGWELL:

P. L. Herman, T. A. Boone, W. C. Norman, G. W. Ivey, J. W. Jenkins, J. T. Gibbs, A. R. Raven, J. D. Arnold, W. S. Rone, T. J. Gattis, J. N. Cole, J. J. Renn and B. B. Culbreth. L. W. Crawford was appointed Chairman of this committee.

J. E. MANN was announced as prosecutor and W. M. ROBEY as counsel for the defence.

J. H. SOUTHGATE was elected an Assistant Secretary of the Conference, and appointed Secretary of this committee.

The Bishop announced the presence of Rev. J. WALTER DICKSON, Pastor of Spring Street M. E. Church, South, Charleston, S. C., who presented an appeal in behalf of the four congregations of the M. E. Church, South, of that city, for pecuniary aid in rebuilding or repairing their houses of worship, injured by the recent earthquakes. Responses

were made in cash, and subscriptions amounting to \$500.00 received.

W. S. BLACK introduced the following resolutions, which were read and adopted, and on motion of R. O. BURTON, ordered to be published in the religious papers in this Conference :

Resolved 1st, That we cordially welcome to our midst Rev. J. Walter Dickson, of the South Carolina Conference, and that we have listened with great interest and sympathy to his graphic description of the wreck of the churches in Charleston, S. C., belonging to the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, from the earthquake shocks which have so greatly afflicted that hospitable and heroic city.

Resolved 2d, That, as a further evidence of our kindly feelings, the members of the North Carolina Conference be and are hereby requested to take collections as early as possible, after reaching their fields of labor, wherever deemed advisable, to aid in repairing these damaged churches.

Resolved 3d, That the funds so raised be forwarded to Mr. Harvey Cogswell, Treasurer of the Repair Fund, Charleston, S. C.

(Signed)

W. S. BLACK,
J. S. NELSON,
V. A. SHARPE.

Conference adjourned with the benediction by the Bishop.

THIRD DAY—MORNING SESSION.

FRIDAY, December 3d, 1886.

The Conference convened at 9½ o'clock, Bishop GRANBERY in the chair, and was opened with religious services conducted by Rev. T. PAGE RICAUD.

The Journal of yesterday's session was read and approved.

On motion of L. L. NASH, the special order for 10 o'clock, being the interests of Trinity College, was postponed until 11 o'clock.

Question 4th was called, viz: Who are admitted into full connection?

WILLIAM R. WARE, MILES M. MCFARLAND, JOHN J. GRIGG, JOHN A. HORNADAY, SAMUEL R. BELK, CONDOR P. JEROME, WILLIAM F. COFFIN, DUNCAN A. FUTRELL, JOSEPH G. NELSON, JAMES R. BETTS, WILLIAM W. ROSE, JOHN E. WOOSLEY and ALPHEUS E. WILEY, having passed the examination of character and been approved by the Examining Committee, were examined by the Bishop in open Conference and admitted into full connection.

Rev. JAMES ATKINS, D. D., representing the officers of the Board of Missions of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was presented and addressed the Conference on the subject of Foreign Missions.

The hour of 11 o'clock arrived and the order of the day was announced.

On motion of W. H. BOBBITT, Prof. W. H. PEGRAM, of Trinity College, was requested to address the Conference, and Prof. PEGRAM responded, presenting the claims of the College to patronage, and in reference to an endowment.

JULIAN S. CARR, Treasurer of the Board of Trustees of Trinity College, submitted a report of the financial condition of the College, with a verbal appeal for its endowment.

R. O. BURTON introduced the following resolutions:

Resolved by the North Carolina Conference assembled in Reidsville, N. C., December 3rd, 1886, that, prompted by the fear of God and the good of the people of the State and the Church of God—also by an earnest desire to qualify our ministers to come and who shall occupy their high positions before the Israel of God and be the better qualified to meet growing demands for higher culture as society advances and as the gospel is shedding its light in the world, do hereby resolve:

1st. That we are deeply impressed that we ought and will begin or continue to use our efforts to endow Trinity College to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars during the Conference year 1887.

2d. That we will put such agent and agencies into vigorous operation for the securing of the moneys necessary and to be invested as a permanent endowment at interest, such interest only to be expended for the support of the professors of Trinity College.

3d. That, upon the endowment of the College, the ministers of the North

Carolina Conference shall have the privilege of educating their sons therein, free of tuition, with the consent of the Board of Trustees.

R. O. BURTON,
L. J. HOLDEN,
FRANK H. WOOD,
T. W. GUTHRIE.

Bishop GRANBERY presented the claims of the College in a fervent address and was heard with much interest.

The hour of 1 o'clock arrived, and, on motion of R. O. BURTON, the time of the session was extended.

R. S. WEBB moved that the resolutions and the subject under consideration be referred to the Board of Education.

On motion of R. O. BURTON, this motion was laid on the table.

R. O. BURTON moved that when the Conference adjourn, it do so to convene this afternoon at 3 o'clock, which motion prevailed.

N. H. D. WILSON, from the committee of Presiding Elders, nominated the following as the committee on Colportage, which were confirmed: J. B. BOBBITT, B. R. Hall, M. H. MOORE, J. C. ROWE, P. L. GROOME, G. A. OGLESBY and R. G. BARRETT.

The Conference adjourned with the benediction by the Bishop.

FOURTH DAY.

SATURDAY, December 4th, 1886.

The Conference convened at $9\frac{1}{2}$ o'clock, Bishop GRANBERY in the chair, and was opened with religious services conducted by Rev. S. D. PEELER.

The Journal of yesterday afternoon's session was read and approved.

On motion of W. H. BOBBITT, G. A. OGLESBY was ex-

cused from service on the committee on Books and Periodicals, and W. L. GRISSOM appointed in his place.

On motion of W. H. BOBBITT, M. L. HOLMES, lay delegate from the Salisbury District, was granted leave of absence from and after to-day, and A. L. COBURN was appointed in his place on the committee on the Bible Cause.

Leave of absence was granted to W. A. WOOLEN, lay delegate from the Trinity College District, from and after to-day.

On motion of V. A. SHARPE, F. E. ASBURY was excused from service on the committee on Books and Periodicals, and J. R. EVANS appointed in his place.

On motion of V. A. SHARPE, the application of S. D. PEFLER, for a superannuated relation, was referred to the committee on Conference Relations.

Rev. T. M. JONES, D. D., President of Greensboro Female College, presented his report, which was referred to the Board of Education.

Question 7th was called, viz: Who are the deacons of one year?

MARCUS D. GILES, BARZILIA C. ALLRED, JAS. A. BOWLES, ROBERT P. TROY, JOHN E. UNDERWOOD, JAS. M. ASHBY, DANIEL H. TUTTLE, HUGH M. BLAIR, JOHN B. HURLEY, RODERICK B. JOHN, FRANK M. SHAMBERGER, MARSHALL A. SMITH and THOMAS J. DAILY, having been approved by the Examining Committee, and having passed the examination of character, were continued the deacons of one year.

THOMAS S. ELLINGTON, CHARLES C. BROTHERS and WILLIAM J. CROWSON passed the examination of character and were continued in the class of the third year.

THOMAS J. BROWNING passed the examination of character and was continued in the class of the fourth year.

Rev. W. G. STARR, D. D., of the Virginia Conference, was introduced to the Conference.

Question 12th was called, viz: What traveling preachers are elected elders?

JOHN H. HALL, CLATER W. SMITH, CHAS. O. DURANT, LAWRENCE O. WYCHE, EDWARD L. PELL, ALPHEUS MCCULLEN, ISAAC A. WHITE, JACOB A. LEE and CHARLES W. BYRD passed the examination of character, and having been approved by the Examining Committee, were elected to elder's orders.

BARNA B. HOLDER, an elder, passed an examination of character, and an approved examination by the committee of the fourth year.

Question 10th was called, viz: What local preachers are elected deacons?

RICHARD H. WHITAKER, Edenton Street Station, Raleigh District;

ALEXANDER WALKER, Durham Station, Durham District;

ELWOOD E. SMITH, Yadkinville Circuit, Statesville District;

MILES H. LONG, Yadkinville Circuit, Statesville District, and

WILLIAM H. HARRELL, Scotland Neck Mission, Warren-
ton District,

having been recommended according to the Discipline,
were elected to deacon's orders.

Question 14th was called, viz: What local preachers are elected elders?

WILLIAM H. PUCKETT, local deacon of Carteret Circuit, New Berne District, having been recommended according to the Discipline, and having subscribed to the doctrine and Discipline of the Church, was elected to elder's orders.

WILLIAM S. DAVIS, Durham Circuit, Durham District, admitted on trial at the last Annual Conference, and, having been a local deacon three years previous thereto, having been recommended according to the Discipline, and having subscribed to the doctrines and Discipline of the Church, was elected to elder's orders.

Question 5th was called, viz: Who are re-admitted?

ENOCH L. STAMEY, deacon, who was granted location at

his request, in 1884, having been recommended by the Quarterly Conference of Albemarle Circuit, Salisbury District, according to the Discipline, was readmitted.

Question 1st was called, viz : Who are admitted on trial ?
EDWARD H. DAVIS, Youngsville Circuit, Raleigh District ;
JOHN D. PEGRAM, Buckhorn Circuit, Raleigh District ;
CHARLES W. ROBINSON, Greensboro Station, Greensboro District ;

THOMAS N. IVEY, Mooresville Circuit, Statesville District ;
ZACHARIAH J. NEEDHAM, Mount Airy Circuit, Statesville District ;

DOCTOR PINKNEY TATE, Forest City Circuit, Shelby District ;

MARTIN T. STEELE, Happy Home Circuit, Shelby District ;

RICHARD W. TOWNSEND, Robeson Circuit, Fayetteville District ;

ZADOK PARIS, Onslow Circuit, Wilmington District ;
DANIEL C. GEDDIE, Cokesbury Circuit, Wilmington District ;

JAMES G. JOHNSTON, Goldsboro Station, New Berne District ;

WILLIAM H. PUCKETT, Carteret Circuit, New Berne District ;

HILLIARD M. EURE, Wilson Mission, Warrenton District ;
GEORGE F. SMITH, Jackson Hill Circuit, Trinity College District, and

HENRY B. ANDERSON, Deep River Circuit, Trinity College District,

having been recommended by their respective Quarterly Conferences, and approved by the Examining Committee, were admitted on trial.

Question 3d was called, viz : Who are discontinued ?

On motion of W. H. MOORE,

VALANCE G. ROLLINS was discontinued at his request.

On motion of J. A. CUNINGGIM, the Bishop was requested

to draw his draft on the Treasurer of the Board of Conference Trustees, in favor of the Chairman of the Joint Board of Finance, for the sum of four hundred and nine dollars and fifteen cents (\$409.15.)

REV. W. F. STEELE, of Bennett Seminary of the M. E. Church, Greensboro, N. C., was introduced to the Conference.

Question 20th was again called, viz: Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?

The following elders of the Salisbury District passed the examination of character:

W. H. Bobbitt, T. W. Smith, T. A. Stone, G. F. Round, W. C. Willson, Joseph Wheeler, W. L. Grissom, G. A. Oglesby, P. F. W. Stamey, Zebedee Rush and J. W. North.

J. D. ARNOLD, elder of Raleigh District, passed the examination of character, and passed an approved examination on the study of Church History.

On motion of W. H. BOBBITT, the application of T. W. SMITH for a supernumerary relation, was referred to the committee on Conference Relations.

On motion of N. H. D. WILSON, the Joint Board of Finance was instructed to place the name of Mrs. JAMES MAHONEY on the roll of Conference claimants the present session.

The Conference adjourned with the Long Metre Doxology, and benediction by the Bishop.

FIFTH DAY—MORNING SESSION.

MONDAY, December 6th, 1886.

The Conference convened at $9\frac{1}{2}$ o'clock, Bishop GRANBERY in the chair, and was opened with religious services, conducted by Rev. W. S. CHAFFIN.

The Journal of Saturday's session was read and approved.

Question 9th was called, viz: What traveling preachers are ordained deacons?

The Bishop announced that he ordained on yesterday morning the following:

Miles M. McFarland, John J. Grigg, John A. Hornaday, Samuel R. Belk, William F. Coffin, Duncan A. Futrell, Joseph G. Nelson, James R. Betts, William W. Rose and John E. Woosley.

Question 11th was called, viz: What local preachers are ordained deacons?

The Bishop announced that he ordained on yesterday morning the following:

Richard H. Whitaker and Alexander Walker.

Question 13th was called, viz: What traveling preachers are ordained elders?

The Bishop announced that he ordained on last evening the following:

John H. Hall, Clater W. Smith, Charles O. Durant, Lawrence O. Wyche, Edward L. Pell, Alpheus McCullen, Isaac A. White, Jacob A. Lee and Charles W. Byrd.

Question 15th was called, viz: What local preachers are ordained elders?

The Bishop announced that he ordained on last evening the following:

WILLIAM S. DAVIS and WILLIAM H. PUCKETT.

A communication from REV. O. P. FITZGERALD, D. D., Editor of the *Christian Advocate*, Nashville, Tenn., conveying his christian salutations to this Body, and representing the interests of the *Advocate*, was read.

J. F. HEITMAN presented the report of the committee of Management of Trinity College, which was read and, on motion of E. A. YATES, referred to the Board of Education.

A communication from the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of North Carolina, addressed to this Body, was presented and, on motion of P. J. CARRAWAY, referred to the committee on Temperance.

Question 20th was re-called, viz: Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?

The following elders passed the examination of character:

STATESVILLE DISTRICT—R. A. Willis, J. H. Cordon, W. M. Bagby, A. P. Tyer, G. W. Ivey, M. V. Sherrill, C. M. Gentry, A. M. Lowe, J. T. Abernethy, J. C. Rowe, J. F. Craven, C. P. Snow and J. W. Puett.

GREENSBORO DISTRICT—T. L. Triplett.

SHELBY DISTRICT—M. L. Wood, W. S. Rone, J. W. Wheeler, J. M. Lumley, J. C. Hartsell, J. B. Bailey, R. M. Hoyle, J. E. Bristowe, J. B. Carpenter, G. W. Callahan, C. A. Gault, C. G. Little, J. F. England, C. W. King and T. H. Edwards.

CHARLOTTE DISTRICT—T. W. Guthrie, W. M. Robey, M. H. Hoyle, F. B. McCall, J. Ed. Thompson, Oliver Ryder, F. D. Swindell, W. C. Gannon, R. S. Webb, M. H. Moore and G. W. Hardison.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT—S. D. Adams, J. T. Gibbs, W. S. Hales, J. T. Finlayson, Jonathan Sandford, J. T. Lyon, L. E. Stacy, J. H. Page, F. L. Townsend, W. B. Doub and W. S. Chaffin.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT—P. J. Carraway, E. A. Yates, A. G. Gantt, J. T. Kendall, R. L. Warlick, J. L. Keen, Daniel May and J. C. Crisp.

On motion of D. R. BRUTON, the Conference determined that, when it adjourns to-day, it do so to meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The call, under 20th question, was resumed, and following elders passed an examination of character:

NEW BERNE DISTRICT—J. T. Harris, L. W. Crawford, L. S. Burkhead, J. F. Washburn, R. C. Beaman, P. L. Groome, N. M. Jurney, P. L. Herman, N. A. Hooker, A. D. Betts, J. W. Jones and J. B. Bobbitt.

WARRENTON DISTRICT—J. S. Nelson, R. O. Burton, L. J. Holden, J. N. Cole, W. B. North, T. B. Reeks, J. R. Brooks, Z. T. Harrison, A. R. Raven and J. M. Rhodes.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT—W. H. Moore, T. P. Ricaud, T. J. Gattis, B. B. Culbreth, J. O. Guthrie, F. A. Bishop and J. D. Carpenter.

TRINITY COLLEGE DISTRICT—V. A. Sharpe, F. H. Wood, S. V. Hoyle and D. L. Earnhardt.

L. L. NASH, representing REV. SAMUEL W. SMALL, Commissioner of Education for Paine Institute, addressed the Conference in behalf of that enterprise, and was followed by

Bishop GRANBERRY commanding it to the favor and support of the Conference.

R. O. BURTON moved that the session be extended ten minutes, which was not adopted.

On motion of V. A. SHARPE, L. L. NASH was permitted to take a collection privately for Paine Institute during the present session of the Conference.

Leave of absence was granted to J. E. THOMPSON, F. D. SWINDELL and F. E. ASBURY.

On motion of N. H. D. WILSON, W. C. NORMAN was excused from service on the committee on Books and Periodicals, and W. L. CUNINGGIM was appointed in his place.

The Bishop appointed REV. L. S. BURKHEAD, D. D., to preside at this afternoon's session of the Conference.

The L. M. Doxology was sung and Conference adjourned with the benediction by the Bishop.

FIFTH DAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

MONDAY, December 6th, 1886.

The Conference convened at 3 o'clock, Rev. L. S. BURKHEAD, D. D., in the chair, and was opened with religious services conducted by Rev. W. C. GANNON.

The journal of this morning's session was read and approved.

F. H. WOOD presented communications from the Woman's Christian Temperance Unions of Bush Hill and the city of Charlotte, addressed to this Body, which were, on motion, referred to the committee on Temperance.

On motion of J. B. CARPENTER, leave of absence was granted to J. E. BRISTOWE.

On motion of P. F. W. STAMEY, the hour of 12 o'clock M. to-morrow was set apart for memorial services.

J. B. BOBBITT, from the committee on Colportage, presented the report of that committee, which was read and,

on motion of F. A. BISHOP, made the special order for to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

W. S. CREASY presented the report of the Joint Board of Finance, which was considered and, on motion of L. L. NASH, recommitted to the Board for revision.

Leave of absence was granted to T. A. STONE, J. A. WALLER and R. H. WHITAKER from and after to-day.

Reports were submitted as follows and adopted :

By L. E. THOMPSON, from the committee on Bible Cause : (Document No. 1 of Appendix.)

By F. D. SWINDELL, report No. 1, from the Board of Missions: (Document No. 2 of Appendix.)

By C. W. BYRD, from the committee on District Conference Records: (Document No. 3 of Appendix.)

By R. H. WHITAKER, from the committee on Temperance: (Document No. 4 of Appendix.)

T. P. RICAUD introduced a resolution proposing to amend the report of the committee on Temperance in relation to communications from Woman's Christian Temperance Unions on the subject of memorializing the General Assembly of North Carolina, concerning the introduction of certain text-books in the public schools of the State, which was read and referred to the committee on Temperance.

E. A. YATES submitted a report from the Sunday School Board, which was read and adopted: (Document No. 5 of Appendix.)

The L. M. Doxology was sung, and Conference adjourned with the benediction by Rev. L. S. BURKHEAD, D. D.

SIXTH DAY—MORNING SESSION.

TUESDAY, December 7th, 1886.

The Conference convened at 9½ o'clock, Bishop GRANBERRY in the chair, and was opened with religious services conducted by Rev. S. H. HELSABECK.

The journal of yesterday afternoon's session was read and approved.

The following report of the committee in the case of JOHN T. BAGWELL, was presented through the Bishop:

TO THE BISHOP AND MEMBERS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE, M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH, IN SESSION AT REIDSVILLE, N. C., DEC. 6TH, 1886:

We, the committee appointed by Bishop J. C. GRANBERRY, December 2nd, 1886, to try the Rev. J. T. BAGWELL, D. D., on a charge of immorality, beg leave to report that, after a long, searching and impartial hearing of the evidence and circumstances of the case, with much prayer for Divine guidance, do unanimously find the charge and specifications sustained, and, therefore, declare the said J. T. BAGWELL expelled from the ministry and membership of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

P. L. HERMAN,
W. C. NORMAN,
J. W. JENKINS,
A. R. RAVEN,
W. S. RONE,
T. J. GATTIS,
T. A. BOONE,
G. W. IVEY,
J. T. GIBBS,
J. D. ARNOLD,
J. N. COLE,
J. J. RENN,
B. B. CULBRETH,
L. W. CRAWFORD, *President.*

The Bishop declared the said JOHN T. BAGWELL expelled from the ministry and membership of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

W. M. ROBEY, counsel for the defence, gave notice that the defence reserved the right of appeal, subject to its action hereafter.

Question 20th was recalled, viz: Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?

The following elders passed an examination of character:

TRINITY COLLEGE DISTRICT—J. E. Gay, S. D. Peeler, R. F. Bumpass, W. T. Cutchin, M. W. Boyles, J. F. Heitman.

GREENSBORO DISTRICT—J. A. Cuninggim.

Question 1st was re-called, viz: Who are admitted on trial?

JOHN M. POOL having been recommended according to the Discipline by Jackson Hill Circuit, Trinity College District, and having been approved by the Examining Committee, was admitted on trial.

E. A. YATES presented a communication from Rev. C. H. WILEY, D. D., District Superintendent of the American Bible Society, expressing his regret at not being able to present an appeal in person in behalf of the Bible cause.

The special order for 10 o'clock, being the report of the committee on Colportage, was taken up. The report was read and adopted. (Document No. 6 of Appendix.)

On motion of J. A. CUNINGGIM, the application of D. R. BRUTON for a supernumerary relation was referred to the committee on Conference Relations.

W. S. CREASY presented the report of the Joint Board of Finance, which was read and adopted.

The distributive sums were delivered to the claimants or their representatives in open Conference. (Report complete as Document No. 7 of Appendix.)

Question 27th was called, viz: What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers?

Answer.—Seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$7,500).

Question 28th was called, viz: What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied?

Answer.—Received on foregoing account:

From the Districts.....	\$5,250 22
Added amount from North Carolina Conference Trust Fund.....	409 15
Calvin Fund.....	39 00
Private Contributions.....	2 53

	\$5,700 90

Distributed to claimants \$5,700.46, including \$39.00—Calvin Fund. Expense account forty-four cents.

Question 17th was called, viz: Who are supernumerary?

T. P. RICAUD, from the committee on Conference Relations, submitted a report recommending that ISAAC F. KEERANS, WILLIAM H. CALL, THOMAS C. MOSES, ELISHA J. EUDAILY, JAMES WILLSON, ISAAC W. AVENT, THOMAS W. SMITH and DAVID R. BRUTON be granted a supernumerary relation, which was adopted.

Question 18th was called, viz: Who are superannuated?

T. P. RICAUD, from the committee on Conference Relations, submitted a report recommending that GEORGE E. WYCHE, WILLIS S. HALTOM, DANIEL CULBRETH, JAMES W. RANDALL, MILES FOY, WILLIAM W. ALBEA, THOMAS L. HOYLE, GASTON FARRAR, EDWARD HOWLAND, JOSEPH H. WHEELER, MARCUS C. THOMAS, HILARY T. HUDSON, CLARENDRON M. PEPPER, THOMAS S. CAMPBELL, HENRY H. GIBBONS, CHARLES M. ANDERSON, JOHN TILLETT, JAMES W. WHEELER and SIMEON D. PEELER be granted a superannuated relation, which was adopted.

J. R. GRIFFITH, from the Board of Education, submitted the report of the Board, which was read and adopted. (Document No. 8 of Appendix.)

R. O. BURTON introduced resolutions in relation to the endowment of Trinity College, which were read and, on motion of N. M. JOURNEY, referred to the Board of Trustees of Trinity College.

L. J. HOLDEN, from the committee on Books and Periodicals, submitted a report, which was read and adopted. (Document No. 9 of Appendix.)

Question 31st was called, viz: Where shall the next Conference be held?

L. W. CRAWFORD nominated New Berne.

J. T. GIBBS nominated Fayetteville.

J. A. CUNINGGIM, representing the congregations of Greensboro and Winston, nominated those cities.

Fayetteville was selected, and, on motion of W. S. BLACK, the vote was made unanimous.

J. T. HARRIS, from the Presiding Elders, submitted the following nominations of Boards and Committees of Examination, for the next four years:

BOARD OF MISSIONS.

Clerical—T. J. Gattis, R. T. N. Stephenson, F. D. Swindell, Joseph Wheeler, T. A. Boone, G. W. Callahan, P. F. W. Stamey, W. B. Doub, E. A. Yates, J. T. Abernathy, J. N. Cole, J. D. Arnold and F. H. Wood.

Lay—Millard Mial, W. F. Stroud, J. G. Staples, W. R. Odell, P. G. Moore, L. J. Hoyle, John Robinson, H. C. Wall, W. M. Parker, W. F. Kornegay, T. P. Jerman, T. H. Gatlin and F. C. Robbins.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Clerical—J. F. Heitman, J. R. Griffith, L. S. Burkhead, W. C. Willson, W. C. Norman, J. M. Lumley, W. C. Gannon, Jonathan Sanford, J. L. Keen, W. M. Robey, A. R. Raven, W. H. Call and M. V. Sherrill.

Lay—B. F. Dixon, A. G. Headen, W. F. Alderman, H. W. Spinks, W. M. Robbins, D. Matt. Thompson, W. J. Boylin, F. B. Gibson, J. C. Davis, A. C. Davis, W. J. Gay, A. B. Nobles and R. W. Thomas.

BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION.

Clerical—L. J. Holden, M. H. Hoyle, T. H. Pegram, J. C. Rowe, J. T. Kendall, D. L. Earnhardt, A. P. Tyer, F. L. Townsend, C. M. Gentry, J. W. Jones, Philip Greening, J. O. Guthrie and M. W. Boyles.

Lay—W. S. Hester, U. M. Wahab, E. E. Gray, M. L. Holmes, M. O. Sherrill, J. T. Johnston, J. H. Winchester, R. D. Phillips, A. J. Johnston, W. A. Darden, E. A. Thorne, J. M. Benson and F. E. Asbury.

SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD.

Clerical—J. Ed. Thompson, J. H. Hall, J. D. Buie, W. L. Grissom, W. M. Bagby, J. C. Hartsell, Alpheus McCullen, J. T. Lyon, R. L. Warlick, P. L. Herman, T. P. Ricaud, B. B. Culbreth and J. C. Thomas.

Lay—J. W. Hays, J. H. Southgate, C. H. Ireland, C. G. Montgomery, G. W. Sparger, J. W. Biggerstaff, W. H. Phifer, J. M. Lamb, D. B. Nicholson, J. W. Bryan, John Hadley, E. C. Glenn and I. L. Wright.

COMMITTEES OF EXAMINATION.

For Admission.—L. L. Nash, Chairman, J. B. Carpenter and J. E. Gay.

First Year.—R. C. Beaman, Chairman, C. W. Byrd and J. H. Cordon.

Second Year.—T. J. Gattis, Chairman, B. R. Hall and G. F. Round.

Third Year.—W. C. Norman, Chairman, W. S. Rone and R. F. Bumpass.

Fourth Year.—E. A. Yates, Chairman, M. H. Moore and J. T. Gibbs.

- The Bishop announced the Joint Board of Finance, as follows:

Clerical—J. J. Renn, W. S. Creasy, A. D. Betts, G. W. Ivey, J. R. Scroggs, R. S. Webb, L. E. Stacy, A. G. Gantt, L. W. Crawford, G. F. Round, F. A. Bishop and R. M. Hoyle.

Lay—T. C. Williams, J. S. Carr, J. C. Pinnix, F. M. Johnston, J. B. Connelly, J. S. Martin, W. E. Ardrey, K. H. Worthy, W. J. Parker, T. A. Green, W. A. Johnston, N. M. Lawrence and O. W. Carr.

The special order for 12 o'clock, being Memorial services, was announced.

Question 19th was called, viz: What preachers have died during the year?

It was announced that JAMES MAHONEY and WILLIAM H. WATKINS had died.

MEMORIAL SERVICES.

Two stanzas were sung commencing:

' Let cares like a wild deluge come,

and Rev. JOSEPH H. WHEELER led in prayer.

L. S. BURKHEAD read the memoir of JAMES MAHONEY:

MEMOIR OF JAMES MAHONEY.

Rev. James Mahoney was born in Sumpter county, S. C., August 12th, 1812. His parentage was of good stock, and it may be said of him, "that from his youth he knew the Scriptures." He professed religion at the age of 16 years, and began from that hour a consecrated service to his Lord—which only ended on earth with his long and useful life. He was licensed to exhort when quite a young man, and after a few years of excellent service as an exhorter, he was licensed to preach, and made full proof of his ministry as a local preacher, as the Lord gave him time and opportunity. For 11 years he was proof reader and local editor on the staff of the *Southern Christian Advocate*. In 1853 he moved to Wilmington, N. C., where he lived for 12 years, during which time he gave full proof of his ministry as local preacher and supply. Thence he moved, in 1865, to Greene county, N. C., where he proved himself most useful to all the churches within reach of his home. He was a model local preacher and never idle, but always diligent in the Master's vineyard. In 1869, feeling that God had called him to a larger field of usefulness and labor, he joined the North Carolina Conference at Newbern, N. C. He was from that Conference appointed to Williamston Circuit, where he remained during 1870-1871. In 1872 he traveled Stanly Circuit; 1873, Clinton Circuit; 1874, Cokesbury Circuit; 1875-1876, Carteret Circuit; 1877-1878, Columbia Circuit; 1879, Mt. Olive Circuit; 1880-1881, Neuse Circuit; 1882-1883, Guilford Circuit; 1884, Bath Circuit; 1885, Nashville Circuit. On many of these charges his labors were marked by the conversion of hundreds of souls to God. Through his instrumentality the Lord did a wonderful work on the Columbia Circuit. Largely through his influence a powerful temperance reformation swept all over that section. Besides, he added more than 250 persons to the church on that circuit. On Williamston, Clinton, Cokesbury, Carteret, Mt. Olive, Neuse, Guilford, Bath and Nashville, there was left the impress of his character and holy life; and all who came in contact with him felt the influence of his fervent prayers and spiritual ministry.

" And many who saw his boldness for Christ marvelled, and took knowledge of him that he had been with Jesus, and seeing the many, who were healed standing with him, no man could say anything against him."

James Mahoney was a man of prayer, and a man of faith. He had a firm trust in Divine Providence and believed his steps were ordered by the Lord. He was thoroughly consecrated to the itinerant ministry ; and when it was suggested at the last Conference that on account of his age he had better take a superannuated relation, he protested, saying, " No, let me have another appointment ; I want to die with all the harness on."

Bishop Keener appointed him to Pamlico Circuit. He felt that the work was heavy for one of his age, and seemed to be impressed that it would be his last. But he did not murmur nor complain. His great desire was to visit all of his children before he went to his work. After seeing those in North Carolina, he started to Florida, where he had two sons and one daughter. On his way he stopped in Goldsboro to spend the Sabbath with some dear friends. He attended church in the morning and prayed a fervent prayer at the close of the pastor's sermon. It was his last in the house of God. That night he was taken with a malignant type of erysipelas in his left hand. The following Thursday God took him. His work was done, and God gathered his aged servant home to Himself. The world may not write down this veteran of the Cross as one of its great ones, but God and the church give him praise for they knew his value and sterling worth. If he never received any flattering appointments among his brethren, nor held any offices of power, nor accumulated fame, nor fortune, yet he did the work well which God gave him to do, and he was beloved by all who knew him, and had the Father's seal upon him as a chosen vessel. His dying words were shouts of triumph and victory. The brave soldier has laid down his armor of earthly warfare and battles, and gone up to join the innumerable company of angels and the general assembly of the church of the firstborn, which are written in heaven. God bless his widow and children, and may they meet him there.

God grant us grace to finish our work with joy and to triumph as he triumphed.

Remarks in eulogy were made by L. S. BURKHEAD, N. A. HOOKER, R. O. BURTON and J. S. NELSON.

P. F. W. STAMEY read the memoir of WILLIAM H. WATKINS :

MEMOIR OF REV. W. H. WATKINS.

Rev. W. H. Watkins, the subject of this memoir, was born in Richmond county, N. C., June 25th, 1847, and died at his home in Albemarle,

Stanly county, N. C., at 9 A. M., April 27th, 1886, aged 38 years, 10 months and 2 days. He professed religion and joined the M. E. Church, South, under the ministry of Rev. Joseph Wheeler, Nov. 15th, 1868. He began to preach the gospel in the year 1873, and was junior preacher that year under Rev. M. V. Sherrill, then pastor of Wadesboro Circuit.

In December, 1873, at our Conference, which convened at Goldsboro, he was admitted on trial. His first circuit was Stanly, which he traveled in 1874; in 1875-6, Columbia Circuit; in 1877-8, Mt. Olive Circuit; in 1879-80, Williamston Circuit; in 1881-2, Halifax Circuit; in 1883 he was stationed at Plymouth, and while there his health gave way in August. He rested about two months and then resumed partial labors again until the close of the year.

In 1884 he was sent to Roanoke Circuit—his health gave way again on the first Sabbath in June. He remained in charge, however, until close of the year, but employed the Rev. W. W. Rose to do the preaching, but Bro. Watkins went with him to nearly all the appointments superintending the work—making short talks occasionally—praying and instructing penitents, and visiting among the people.

In the fall of 1884, during the session of Conference at Wilmington, he was superannuated, and soon thereafter he went to Albemarle where he remained until the day of his death.

In the year 1875, February 4th, while he was in charge of the Columbia Circuit, he was happily married to Miss G. P. Hearn, of Albemarle, with whom he lived as a dutiful and affectionate husband, and whom he loved so ardently, and who so cheerfully helped him on all his fields of labor.

As a Christian, Bro. Watkins was a model one. No one can lay aught to his charge. He made both saint and sinner feel, while in his presence, that he was a man of God. During his entire sickness his conversation was of a spiritual nature.

Bro. Watkins was a good and very successful preacher. His sermons were sound, logical and impressive. He was a fine pastor and an untiring worker in the vineyard of the Master. He was very successful on all his fields of labor in bringing souls to Christ; and in building and repairing churches and parsonages, he had but few equals. He was beloved by the people he served, and many were the messages of love and sympathy he received from them during his illness.

The gospel he preached to others sustained and comforted him all through his afflictions. He spoke as calmly of his approaching end as one going to sleep. He did not fear, but welcomed death. He often quoted Paul, "For me to live is Christ, but to die is gain." His death was peaceful and easy. On a bright and lovely spring morn, he died without a struggle. While the rays of the morning sun were falling in golden tints

upon the green foliage of the trees, and upon the green grass and beautiful flowers, and when the birds were praising the Creator of the Universe, in chirp and song, he breathed his last.

In his death the church has lost a faithful minister but our loss is his gain.

Remarks in eulogy were made by W. H. BOBBITT, T. W. GUTHRIE, J. M. RHODES, R. S. WEBB and R. O. BURTON.

The memoirs were adopted.

F. H. WOOD introduced the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

Resolved, That we do hereby extend our tenderest and most unaffected sympathy and condolence to Drs. W. H. BOBBITT, L. S. BURKHEAD, W. M. ROBEY and Rev. ZEBEDEE RUSH, in the death of their most estimable and lovely wives during the year.

(Signed) FRANK H. WOOD,
 R. O. BURTON,
 T. PAGE RICAUD.

The memorial services were concluded.

Rev. JOHN E. EDWARDS, D. D., of the Virginia Conference, was introduced to the Conference.

On motion of Rev. L. L. NASH, it was ordered that, when the Conference adjourns, it do so to convene this evening at 7 o'clock.

The Bishop designated Rev. R. O. BURTON, D. D., to preside at this evening's session in the event of his absence.

The Conference adjourned with the benediction by the Bishop.

SIXTH DAY—EVENING SESSION.

TUESDAY, December 7th, 1886.

The Conference convened at 7 o'clock, Rev. R. O. BURTON, D. D., in the chair, and was opened with religious services conducted by Rev. JAMES E. MANN.

The Journal of this morning's session was read and approved.

J. T. KENDALL, from the Board of Church Extension, submitted the report of that Board, which was read and adopted.

(Document No. 10 of Appendix.)

R. P. TROY submitted report No. 2 of the committee on Temperance, which was read and adopted.

(Document No. 11 of Appendix.)

Bishop GRANBERY took the chair.

J. F. BRUTON submitted a report from the committee on Church Property, which was read and adopted.

(Document No. 12 of Appendix.)

Questions 21, 22, 23, 24, 25 and 26 were called, and J. B. CARPENTER, Statistical Secretary, reported the statistics as follows:

Number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations and missions of the Conference, 83,317.

Infants baptized during the year, 2,682.

Adults baptized during the year, 4,709.

Number of Sunday-schools, 885.

Number of Sunday-school teachers, 594.

Number of Sunday-school scholars, 51,028.

In view of the successes attending the labors of the ministers during the Conference year, as shown in the large accessions and the spiritual state of the church, the Conference, at the suggestion of the Bishop, gave praises to God in singing the L. M. Doxology.

W. H. MOORE submitted report No. 2 of the Board of Missions, which was adopted.

(Document No. 13 of Appendix.)

Question 16 was called, viz: Who are located this year?

Answer, None.

The Presiding Elders nominated the Conference Board of Colportage as follows, which was confirmed:

Clerical—F. L. Reid, J. R. Griffith, R. G. Barrett, Joseph Wheeler, James Willson, H. T. Hudson, M. H. Moore, W. B. Doub, D. H. Tuttle, J. B. Bobbitt, T. J. Gattis, R. O. Burton and S. V. Hoyle.

Laymen—J. W. Hays, W. F. Stroud, J. A. Odell, J. W. Mauney, J. B. Connelly, J. S. Martin, J. M. Dunlap, J. T. John, W. W. Hodges, J. B. Whitaker, Jr., E. C. Glenn, Wm. A. Johnston and F. S. Lambeth.

N. M. JOURNEY submitted the report of the committee on the publication of the Conference Journal, which was read and adopted. (Document No. 14 of Appendix.)

R. O. BURTON moved that the Board of Trustees of Trinity College, to whom were referred the resolutions introduced by him in relation to the endowment of that Institution, be requested to promptly adopt the plan therein proposed, or some other plan looking to an endowment. The motion prevailed.

E. A. YATES introduced the following resolutions, which were read and unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the hearty thanks of this Conference are due, and are hereby tendered to the people of Reidsville for the generous and christian hospitality extended to the members of the Conference.

Also, to the pastors and officers of the Presbyterian, Baptist and Episcopal churches for the tender of their houses of worship for preaching during the session.

Also, to gentlemen, and different organizations, who tendered the use of offices and halls for the use of committees.

Also, to the railroad and steamboat managers who extended the courtesy of reduced fare to members and visitors of this Conference.

Also, to Mr. C. F. LEWIS for his kind attention to the mail matter of the Conference.

E. A. YATES,
L. W. CRAWFORD,
N. M. JURNEY.

L. S. BURKHEAD introduced a resolution of thanks to the Secretary and Assistant Secretaries for the satisfactory manner in which they had discharged the duties of their several positions, which was read and adopted.

Question 29th was called, viz.: What has been contributed for Missions?

Answer—Foreign Missions.....	\$10,769 70
Domestic Missions.....	4,547 00
Total.....	\$15,316 70

Question 30th was called, viz.: What are the educational statistics?

Answer—Trinity College—Incorporated by Act of General Assembly of North Carolina, ratified January 28th, 1851, amended by Chapter 35, 1858-59. Value of buildings and grounds \$30,000. Number of Faculty, 6; number of students enrolled present year, 170.

The journal of this evening's session was read and approved.

The Bishop announced hymn "Together let us sweetly live, together let us die," which having been sung, Rev. E. A. YATES, D. D., led in prayer.

The Bishop addressed the Conference, and after calling Question 32, "Where are the preachers stationed this year?" read the appointments.

The Conference adjourned *sine die* with the benediction by the Bishop.

APPOINTMENTS.

The figures opposite the names indicate the number of years on the charge.

RALEIGH DISTRICT.

3—N. H. D. WILSON Presiding Elder.
 RALEIGH—EDENTON STREET—W. C. Norman—4.
 RALEIGH—PERSON STREET—R. B. John—1.
 BROOKLYN AND MACEDONIA MISSION—To be supplied by J. F. Butt—4.
 CARY CIRCUIT—J. B. Martin—2.
 ROLESVILLE CIRCUIT—Philip Greening—2.
 SMITHFIELD CIRCUIT—Solomon Pool—2.
 CLAYTON CIRCUIT—B. C. Allred—1.
 TAR RIVER CIRCUIT—J. J. Renn—2.
 YOUNGSVILLE CIRCUIT—D. A. Watkins—1.
 LOUISBURG STATION—Alpheus McCullen—2.
 OXFORD STATION—W. L. Cunnigim—1.
 OXFORD CIRCUIT—N. E. Coltrane—2.
 HENDERSON STATION—J. D. Arnold—2.
 BUCKHORN CIRCUIT—J. E. Thompson—3. I. W. Avent, Sup.
 EARPSBORO MISSION—J. D. Pegram—1.
 NEWTON GROVE MISSION—Erskine Pope—2. One to be supplied.
 RALEIGH CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE—F. L. Reid, editor.
 HENDERSON FEMALE COLLEGE—J. M. Rhodes.
 AGENT FOR COLPORTAGE AND SUNDAY SCHOOLS—P. L. Groome—1.

DURHAM DISTRICT.

3—W. S. BLACK Presiding Elder.
 DURHAM—TRINITY—W. S. Creasy—2.
 DURHAM—MAIN STREET—Amos Gregson—2.
 DURHAM—CARR'S CHAPEL—J. H. Hall—1.
 DURHAM CIRCUIT—W. S. Davis—2.
 HILLSBORO CIRCUIT—J. G. Nelson—1.
 CHAPEL HILL—J. R. Griffith—1.
 PERSON CIRCUIT—M. H. Hoyle—1. M. T. Best—1.
 LEASBURG CIRCUIT—L. L. Nash—4. E. H. Davis—1.
 ALAMANCE CIRCUIT—L. L. Johnson—3.
 HAW RIVER CIRCUIT—B. R. Hall—2.
 PITTSBORO CIRCUIT—R. T. N. Stephenson—2.
 GRANVILLE CIRCUIT—J. E. Underwood—2.
 UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA—A. W. Mangum—Professor.
 MISSIONARY TO CHINA—Charles Jones Soon—2.

GREENSBORO DISTRICT.

3—J. A. CUNINGGIM..... Presiding Elder.
GREENSBORO STATION—J. E. Mann—2. G. F. Smith—1.
GUILFORD CIRCUIT—T. H. Pegram—4.
SUMMERFIELD CIRCUIT—J. A. Bowles—4.
PLEASANT GARDEN CIRCUIT—M. M. McFarland—1.
WINSTON STATION—L. S. Burkhead—1.
FORSYTH CIRCUIT—M. J. Hunt—2.
STOKES CIRCUIT—C. G. Little—1. S. H. Helsabeck—2.
DANBURY CIRCUIT—J. F. Craven—1.
MADISON CIRCUIT—R. P. Troy—4.
RUFFIN CIRCUIT—G. F. Round—1.
REIDSVILLE STATION—P. F. W. Stamey—1. D. R. Bruton—Sup.
YANCEYVILLE CIRCUIT—J. D. Buie—2. C. W. Robinson—1.
KERNERSVILLE CIRCUIT—R. G. Barrett—1.

SALISBURY DISTRICT.

3—W. H. BOBBITT..... Presiding Elder.
SALISBURY STATION—C. W. Byrd—1.
SALISBURY CIRCUIT—T. A. Stone—3.
MOCKSVILLE CIRCUIT—W. C. Willson—1.
ROWAN CIRCUIT—G. W. Fisher—1.
FARMINGTON CIRCUIT—H. M. Blair—1.
CONCORD STATION—Joseph Wheeler—2. T. W. Smith—Sup.
CONCORD CIRCUIT—W. L. Grissom—2.
MOUNT PLEASANT CIRCUIT—G. A. Oglesby—3.
ALBEMARLE CIRCUIT—J. C. Rowe—1.
STANLY CIRCUIT—Zebedee Rush—2.
BIG LICK MISSION—J. A. Green—2.
MOUNT ZION STATION—J. W. North—4.
ENOCHSVILLE CIRCUIT—C. W. Smith—2.

STATESVILLE DISTRICT.

3—R. A. WILLIS..... Presiding Elder.
STATESVILLE STATION—W. S. Rone—1. James Willson—Sup.
STATESVILLE CIRCUIT—W. M. Bagby—4.
MOORESVILLE CIRCUIT—L. E. Thompson—1.
IREDELL CIRCUIT—G. W. Ivey—2.
ROCK SPRING CIRCUIT—T. A. Boone—1.
NEWTON CIRCUIT—C. M. Gentry—2.
CATAWBA CIRCUIT—M. V. Sherrill—1.
ALEXANDER CIRCUIT—C. A. Gault—1.

CALDWELL CIRCUIT—R. M. Taylor—2.
 LENOIR CIRCUIT—T. J. Daily—1.
 WILKES CIRCUIT—T. C. Lovin—1. E. J. Eudaily—Sup.
 REDDIE'S RIVER MISSION—To be supplied.
 ELKIN AND JONESVILLE—D. A. Futrell—1.
 MOUNT AIRY STATION—J. B. Hurley—1.
 MOUNT AIRY CIRCUIT—To be supplied by S. P. Douglas—1.
 DOBSON CIRCUIT—B. A. York—2.
 YADKINVILLE CIRCUIT—C. P. Snow—1.
 OAK INSTITUTE—T. N. Ivey—Principal—1.

SHELBY DISTRICT.

3—M. L. Wood Presiding Elder.
 SHELBY STATION—J. R. Scroggs—1.
 SHELBY CIRCUIT—S. M. Davis—1.
 KING'S MOUNTAIN CIRCUIT—W. H. Townsend—1.
 DALLAS CIRCUIT—J. M. Lumly—2. J. W. Puett—1.
 GASTON CIRCUIT—J. C. Hartsell—4.
 MOUNTAIN ISLAND STATION—J. R. Betts—2.
 LINCOLNTON CIRCUIT—J. B. Bailey—3.
 SOUTH FORK CIRCUIT—D. L. Earnhardt—1.
 HICKORY STATION—J. E. Bristowe—2.
 CONNELLY SPRING CIRCUIT—J. B. Carpenter—2.
 MORGANTON AND MARION—G. W. Callahan—2.
 MORGANTON CIRCUIT—T. L. Triplett—1.
 TABLE ROCK CIRCUIT—M. D. Giles—1.
 McDOWELL CIRCUIT—M. T. Steele—1.
 DOUBLE SHOALS CIRCUIT—J. F. England—2.
 FOREST CITY CIRCUIT—A. M. Lowe—1.
 RUTHERFORDTON CIRCUIT—J. W. Jenkins—1.
 ANTIOCH MISSION—J. M. Pool—1.
 COLUMBUS MISSION—T. H. Edwards—3.

CHARLOTTE DISTRICT.

1—P. J. CARRAWAY Presiding Elder.
 CHARLOTTE—TRYON STREET—F. D. Swindell—1.
 CHARLOTTE—CHURCH STREET—Zadok Paris—1.
 CHARLOTTE CIRCUIT—W. F. Coffin—3.
 MATTHEWS CIRCUIT—J. A. Lee—1.
 CLEAR CREEK CIRCUIT—F. B. McCall—2.
 PINEVILLE CIRCUIT—A. P. Tyer—1.
 PLEASANT GROVE CIRCUIT—A. E. Wiley—1.
 MONROE STATION—W. C. Gannon—1.

MONROE CIRCUIT—T. S. Ellington—2.
 WADESBORO STATION—J. Edwin Thompson—1.
 WADESBORO CIRCUIT—R. S. Webb—3.
 ANSONVILLE CIRCUIT—M. H. Moore—2.
 LILESVILLE CIRCUIT—G. W. Hardison—3.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

3—S. D. ADAMS----- Presiding Elder.
 FAYETTEVILLE STATION—J. T. Gibbs—2.
 CAMPBELLTON MISSION—R. W. Townsend—1.
 CUMBERLAND CIRCUIT—W. S. Hales—2.
 LUMBERTON CIRCUIT—J. T. Finlayson—3.
 ROBESON CIRCUIT—Jonathan Sanford—2.
 SHOE HEEL MISSION—J. A. Hornaday—3.
 LAURINBURG CIRCUIT—J. T. Lyon—2.
 SAINT JOHN'S STATION—L. E. Stacy—2.
 ROCKINGHAM STATION—J. H. Page—3.
 ROCKINGHAM CIRCUIT—F. L. Townsend—2.
 MANLY MISSION—M. A. Smith—4.
 CARTHAGE CIRCUIT—W. B. Doub—4.
 JONESBORO CIRCUIT—W. O. Hightower—2.
 CAPE FEAR CIRCUIT—W. S. Chaffin—3.
 LILLINGTON CIRCUIT—J. J. Grigg—1.
 W. O. Hightower, Principal Jonesboro High School.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

1—T. W. GUTHRIE----- Presiding Elder.
 WILMINGTON—FRONT STREET—E. A. Yates—4.
 WILMINGTON—FIFTH STREET—D. H. Tuttle—3.
 BROOKLYN MISSION—C. W. Godwin—1.
 TOPSAIL CIRCUIT—J. L. Keen—1.
 DUPLIN CIRCUIT—A. G. Gantt—3.
 MAGNOLIA CIRCUIT—W. A. Forbes—2.
 CLINTON CIRCUIT—J. T. Kendall—3, Z. J. Needham—1.
 COKESBURY CIRCUIT—I. A. White—1.
 BLADEN CIRCUIT—C. P. Jerome—2.
 ELIZABETH CIRCUIT—Daniel May—2.
 WHITEVILLE CIRCUIT—J. C. Crisp—1, J. M. Downum—2.
 CARVER CREEK CIRCUIT—R. L. Warlick—1.
 WACCAMAW MISSION—T. J. Browning—1.
 SMITHVILLE STATION—J. M. Ashby—1.
 BRUNSWICK CIRCUIT—H. M. Eure—1.
 ONSLOW CIRCUIT—N. A. Hooke—1.

NEW BERNE DISTRICT.

2—J. T. HARRIS..... Presiding Elder.
 NEW BERNE STATION—L. W. Crawford—2.
 GOLDSBORO—ST. PAUL—J. R. Brooks—1.
 GOLDSBORO—BOUNDARY STREET—J. B. Bobbitt—1.
 GOLDSBORO CIRCUIT—W. M. Robey—1.
 WAYNE CIRCUIT—R. C. Beaman—3.
 MOUNT OLIVE CIRCUIT—J. T. Abernethy—1.
 KINSTON STATION—N. M. Jurney—2.
 SNOW HILL CIRCUIT—P. L. Herman—3.
 LAGRANGE CIRCUIT—W. W. Rose—2.
 LENOIR MISSION—J. G. Johnston—1.
 CRAVEN CIRCUIT—W. J. Crowson—3.
 JONES CIRCUIT—J. F. Washburn—1.
 MOREHEAD STATION—E. L. Stamey—1.
 BEAUFORT STATION—J. W. Jones—2.
 CARTERET CIRCUIT—W. H. Puckett 2, including 1 year as supply.
 NEUSE MISSION—To be supplied by J. T. Brogden—1.
 PAMLICO CIRCUIT—To be supplied by S. F. Becton—3.
 STRAITS CIRCUIT—E. D. Hoover 2, including 1 year as supply.
 CORE SOUND MISSION—To be supplied by Daniel Reid.

WARRENTON DISTRICT.

3—J. S. NELSON..... Presiding Elder.
 WARRENTON CIRCUIT—R. O. Burton—3.
 WARREN CIRCUIT—W. B. North—1.
 RIDGEWAY CIRCUIT—J. N. Cole—3.
 ROANOKE CIRCUIT—L. J. Holden—1.
 WELDON AND HALIFAX STATION—T. P. Ricaud—1.
 HALIFAX CIRCUIT—T. B. Reeks—2.
 SCOTLAND NECK MISSION—T. P. Bonner—1.
 WILSON STATION—J. H. Cordon—1.
 WILSON MISSION—B. B. Holder—3.
 NASHVILLE MISSION—A. D. Betts—1.
 EDGECOMBE CIRCUIT—A. R. Raven—2.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

3—W. H. MOORE..... Presiding Elder.
 WASHINGTON STATION—W. R. Ware—1. W. H. Call—Sup.
 TARBORO AND BETHEL—T. J. Gattis—2.
 SOUTH EDGECOMBE CIRCUIT—B. B. Culbreth—2.
 WILLIAMSTON CIRCUIT—W. T. Cutchin—1.

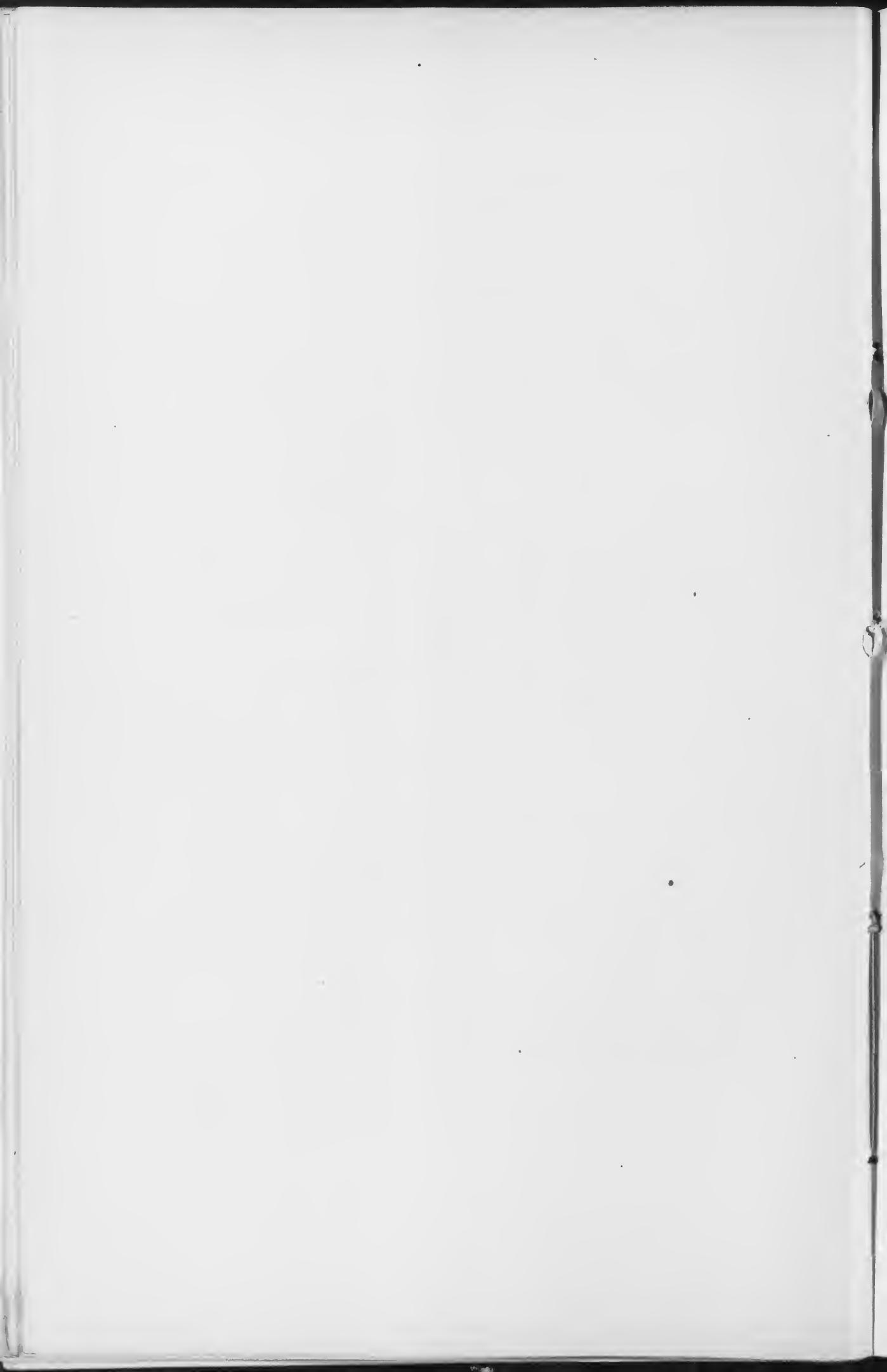
GREENVILLE STATION—F. A. Bishop—2.
PITT MISSION—R. B. Gilliam—2.
SWIFT CREEK MISSION—To be supplied by J. Y. Pegram—1.
AURORA CIRCUIT—L. O. Wyche—1.
BATH CIRCUIT—N. H. Guyton 3, including 1 year as supply.
PLYMOUTH STATION—F. M. Shamberger—1.
COLUMBIA CIRCUIT—To be supplied by W. Lowe—1.
MATTAMUSKEET CIRCUIT—J. O. Guthrie—1.
FAIRFIELD STATION—E. L. Pell—2.
SWAN QUARTER CIRCUIT—Z. T. Harrison—1.
HATTERAS CIRCUIT—C. C. Brothers—1.
PORTSMOUTH AND OCRACOKE—D. P. Tate—1.

TRINITY COLLEGE DISTRICT.

3—V. A. SHARPE..... Presiding Elder.
RANDOLPH CIRCUIT—F. H. Wood 2, I. F. Keerans, sup.
THOMASVILLE AND HIGH POINT—S. V. Hoyle—3.
ZION AND PROSPECT—D. C. Geddie—1.
DAVIDSON CIRCUIT—R. M. Hoyle—1.
LEXINGTON STATION—J. E. Gay—2.
RANDLEMAN STATION—R. F. Bumpass—4.
FRANKLINSVILLE CIRCUIT—J. C. Thomas—1.
DEEP RIVER CIRCUIT—J. D. Carpenter—1, T. C. Moses, sup.
DEEP RIVER MISSION—C. W. King—1.
SILER CIRCUIT—Oliver Ryder—1.
UWHARRIE CIRCUIT—G. B. Perry—2.
JACKSON HILL CIRCUIT—H. B. Anderson—1.
MONTGOMERY CIRCUIT—J. E. Woosley—2.
PEKIN CIRCUIT—C. O. Durant—1.
MOUNT GILEAD CIRCUIT—M. W. Boyles—3.
TRINITY COLLEGE—J. F. Heitman, Prof.
S. R. Belk transferred to Denver Conference and appointed to South Pueblo.

JOHN C. GRANBERRY, *President.*

DONALD W. BAIN, *Secretary.*



APPENDIX.

[Document No. 1.]
REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BIBLE CAUSE.

Your committee to whom was referred the subject of the Bible cause, as it looks for support, and stands connected with the work of the church in our midst, beg leave to report that from what information they have obtained, there is yet among many families in most parts of the State, very great destitution of the Word of God. As the Bible is the "sword of the spirit," and as no one can afford to be without this great blessing, to be a lamp to his feet and a light to his path, therefore, in the language of the committee of 1885,

Resolved, 1st. That we recognize the American Bible Society as an agency in the dissemination of truth and the accomplishment of good second only to the living ministry, and that in all possible ways we will co-operate with its work in our respective fields of labor.

Resolved, 2d. That, in our pastoral work and intercourse with the people, we will specially inquire, and see to it, that all families coming within our knowledge are supplied with the Bible.

Resolved, 3d. That we will encourage our people everywhere, by public collections and otherwise, to contribute to the great cause of sending the Bible to the destitute places throughout the world.

Respectfully,

L. E. THOMPSON, Chairman.

[Document No. 2.]
REPORT OF BOARD OF MISSIONS.

In the accomplishment of any purpose there are three things essential: 1st, An intelligent view of the purpose; 2d, Means and resources equal to the design; 3d, Motives sufficient to move to the use of the means. When these three are combined, there cannot be failure. The absence of either may prove an effectual hinderance.

We are persuaded that the absence of the first is the cause of the slow progress of Christ's kingdom in the world. The church of God has not advanced to a proper conception of the world's sore need of the gospel, and her inalienable duty to supply that need. The "Great Commission" has not yet been burned into the heart of the church as it should have been.

Why, after all these centuries, during which history has recorded events in

which we can almost see the very face of the Son of God, and through which the ringing tones of the risen Redeemer have been ceaselessly falling upon the ears of his followers, "Preach my gospel to every creature;" is it that the world is largely an unconquered territory; that there are vast regions untouched by the gospel ploughshare; that the most populous of the nations have not seen the light that shone from Zion's hill?

The gospel contains all that is necessary for the world's regeneration. Behind it, in it, through it, is the power of God, the power unto salvation.

The experience of nineteen centuries has proven that it is equal to the moral and spiritual needs of men of every age and class and clime. All it needs is proper application. If in the ages of the past the missionary spirit of a Paul, a Carey, a Judson, had been in the heart of every professed follower of Christ, the world would have been to-day like Mary, sitting at the feet of Jesus, learning of Him, loving Him, calling Him Lord. The failure to win the world for Christ lies at the door of His people. They have not sufficiently known or done their duty.

We say it with deliberation, the church of God is not half awake to its duty in missionary work, is not doing the half of what she ought. There may be one here and there who comes up to the measure of his obligation, but the masses are indifferent to this great interest. We believe that the cause of this lies not in an unwillingness to do duty, but from a lack of information on this important subject. The church will never arise to the full measure of her privilege and responsibility until there is diffused general information among all classes on this subject.

When the Christian people lay the moral statistics of the heathen world on their hearts; when they read not merely an item now and then, but peruse eagerly the accounts given by the missionaries, when they study the history and religion of the idolatrous nations; when they talk of these by their firesides and pray for them at their family altars and in their closets; when they picture to their own hearts their condition without a Saviour, and hence "without hope in the world," then, and not till then, will the church of Christ arise in the majesty and strength of her opportunities and win the heathen for Christ's "inheritance, and the uttermost parts of the earth for His possession." In view of these facts, we recommend the following resolutions:

Resolved 1st, That a missionary mass meeting be held on each circuit during the year, if deemed practicable, the pastor and Presiding Elder to determine the time and place and secure speakers.

Resolved 2d, That we pledge ourselves, if selected to speak, to comply if we can do so without great inconvenience.

Resolved 3d, That every preacher be expected to preach at least once at each appointment in his charge on the subject of missions, and emphasizing the duty of every one to contribute something.

Resolved 4th, That we will endeavor to circulate the *Advocate of Missions* and such other missionary literature as we may deem helpful to the cause.

Resolved 5th. That we recognize the importance of the Woman's Missionary Society and that of the Bright Jewels, and we will stand ready to lend them our aid and encouragement.

Resolved 6th. That we will use our influence to secure the contribution of ten cents per capita by our Sunday-school children, to be devoted to the payment of our missionary debt.

Resolved 7th. That we will, as far as possible, take the missionary collections within the first and second quarters of the year.—

F. D. SWINDELL, President.

[Document No. 3.]

REPORT ON DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS.

Your committee on District Conference Records have examined those records placed in their hands and desire to report the following criticisms:

The Fayetteville District Conference Record is well kept, and is to be commended for the conciseness with which the sense of the verbal reports of pastors is recorded. The roll of members, however, is imperfect, those only being recorded who were present. There are also a number of abbreviations in the body of the minutes that may scarcely be considered in good taste.

The Washington District Conference Record is beautifully and accurately kept. The only deficiency, we note, is that punctuation has been almost entirely neglected.

The Salisbury District Conference Record has not a complete roll. Motions are recorded without the names of the persons who made them being mentioned. There is a vast amount of matter that is foreign to the actual business of the Conference recorded; for instance, the announcements with regard to the homes of delegates are recorded and the exhortations of the presiding officer on various subjects.

The Warrenton District Conference Record has no complete roll. The Conference did not close with the benediction the first day, as recorded.

The Wilmington District Conference Record is well kept. There is no complete roll of members. It is stated that this is the journal of the Methodist Episcopal Church of North Carolina. We know of no such church.

The Shelby District Conference Record has no complete roll. Only the names of those present were recorded. The reports from the pastoral charges are recorded without mention of the names of those who made them.

The New Berne District Conference Record is well kept.

Records of Statesville District Conference are well kept and do credit to the secretary.

We would pronounce one criticism, however, a pencil instead of ink was used in designating the absent and present members.

The Raleigh District Conference Record is admirably kept.

The Greensboro District Conference Record is admirably kept. That the name of the presiding officer is not signed at the end of the proceedings is our only criticism.

The Trinity College District Conference Record is well kept.

The Charlotte District Conference Record is well kept.

C. W. BYRD, Chairman.

[Document No. 4.]

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON TEMPERANCE.

The committee to whom was referred the subject of Temperance feel that it would be a waste of words to assert that the liquor traffic is an evil, and to enumerate the evil consequences that follow in its train. An enlightened christian sentiment has long ago put its seal of condemnation upon intemperance, and an enlightened public sentiment makes the assertion which cannot be gainsaid, that if drunkenness be a sin, the traffic in that which makes drunkenness is a sin also.

Your committee rejoice that, recognizing the evil consequences of the liquor traffic, the churches generally are ranging themselves against it, and, as a consequence of their action, the people are being led to agitate the question of prohibition.

Especially do we rejoice that our own church, by the action of the last General Conference, has put itself in the front ranks upon the question of temperance in that it makes the manufacture and sale of alcohol an immorality, for which a member may be tried and expelled as for any other immoral act.

We rejoice furthermore, that as a result of the good work which has been done in our State by ministers, churches, and temperance societies, many communities have been led to throw off the shackles of the liquor traffic by means of the ballot, and that, to-day, a number of communities in our State—our Capital among the number—are free from the evils of a legalized dram-shop,

In short, your committee rejoice in the belief that the temperance sentiment is rapidly growing within the bounds of this Conference, and to the end that it may have an increase of growth and strength, we recommend:

1. That our preachers preach at least one time to each congregation during the year upon the subject of temperance, showing the evils arising from the manufacture, sale and use of intoxicating liquors.
2. That the Superintendents of our Sunday Schools be requested to deliver, or cause to be delivered, at least once during the year a temperance lecture to the children.
3. That, as we believe, prohibition by law to be the only way to successfully put down the traffic in alcohol, we will do all in our power to arouse the people to a proper recognition of their individual responsibility upon this subject.

Your committee have considered certain communications referred to them, and without making any recommendations refer them back to the Conference for their consideration.

R. H. WHITAKER, Chairman.

R. P. TROY, Secretary.

[Document No. 5.]

REPORT OF SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD.

The Board beg leave to report that the Sunday-school District Conferences that are held separately from the regular District Conference, have been successful. Others have found them to be a failure and have rejoined them. Many Circuit Sunday-school Conferences have been organized and successfully operated.

The General Conference ordered that the 3rd Sunday in May be set apart as Children's Day, to be observed throughout the church, with appropriate services, and on that day a collection be taken up for the aid of needy Sunday schools, ten per cent. of the money collected to be forwarded to the General Conference Sunday-school Committee, Nashville, Tennessee, and be distributed by said committee in the same manner and under the same regulations as the interest accruing from the Centennial Sunday-school Aid Fund, and your committee so recommend. The Sunday-school publications are cordially commended to all our people.

Respectfully submitted,

E. A. YATES, Chairman.

[Document No. 6.]

REPORT ON COLPORTAGE.

Your committee to whom was referred the subject of Colportage have carefully considered the same and beg leave to report:

A system of colportage by which the masses may be reached with the literature of our church is, in our judgment, one of the most important matters that can engage the attention of this body. The necessity for some thorough system of canvassing the entire membership of our church and placing our books in their hands is apparent to all. The prevailing ignorance among so many of our people of the doctrines and history of our church, the baneful influence of so much of the reading matter in circulation, imperatively demand of us such an agency as an absolute and pressing necessity.

After thorough enquiry, patient investigation and careful consideration, your committee beg to recommend the following

PLAN OF COLPORTAGE.

1. There shall be a board of colportage, known as the N. C. Conference Colportage Board, consisting of one preacher and one layman from each Presiding Elder's District, holding office four years, elected by the Annual Conference on the nomination of the Presiding Elders.

2. There shall be a General Agent, appointed by the Bishop on the recommendation of the Annual Conference, whose duty it shall be to travel throughout our bounds and employ a suitable colporteur in each Presiding Elder's District and furnish him with our books at a discount of not less than $33\frac{1}{3}$ per cent. His salary shall be the commission on the books that he sells individually, and to district colporteurs and preachers. The General Agent shall also receive donations for cheap religious literature to be distributed gratuitously among the poor.

3. The District Colporteur shall be allowed to sell no other books than such as are recommended by the General Agent.

4. The General Agent shall make an itemized report to the Annual Conference of all moneys received by him, and the disposition made thereof, as also of the number of families visted by him and by each District Colporteur, the number of sermons preached and public exhortations made.

5. Nothing in this system of colportage shall be construed as interfering or conflicting with the sale of books by our preachers, or as relieving them of the disciplinary obligation in this matter.

6. We recommend that all our preachers, as far as practicable, purchase whatever books they may need through the General Agent.

7. We hereby respectfully recommend that the Rev. P. L. Groome be appointed General Agent.

J. B. BOBBITT, Chairman.

M. H. MOORE, Secretary.

[Document No. 7.]

REPORT OF JOINT BOARD OF FINANCE.

BISHOP'S SALARY.

DISTRICTS.	ASSESSED.	PAID.	Whole amount assessed
			\$ 1,750.
Charlotte	\$ 132 00	\$ 126 00	
Durham	131 00	123 50	
Fayetteville	131 00	151 80	
Greensboro	137 00	135 50	
New Berne	167 00	159 54	
Raleigh	171 00	171 00	
Salisbury	124 00	122 95	
Shelby	146 00	131 50	
Statesville	115 00	102 00	
Trinity College	112 00	111 00	
Warrenton	118 00	98 50	
Washington	127 00	119 00	
Wilmington	139 00	120 42	
			\$ 1,750 00
Total amount raised			\$ 1,672 71
Paid Bishop Granbery			\$ 1,672 71

ASSESSMENTS FOR BISHOP.

The Joint Board of Finance recommend that the Conference raise for Bishop's salary for next year seventeen hundred and fifty dollars, and that it be apportioned as follows:

Charlotte	District	\$ 146 00
Durham	"	127 00
Fayetteville	"	136 00
Greensboro	"	135 00
New Berne	"	162 00
Raleigh	"	164 00
Salisbury	"	111 00
Shelby	"	136 00
Statesville	"	138 00
Trinity College	"	111 00
Warrenton	"	125 00
Washington	"	121 00
Wilmington	"	138 00
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		\$1,750 00

CONFERENCE FUND.

Whole amount assessed	\$7,500 00
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DISTRICTS.	ASSESSED.	PAID.
Charlotte	\$ 568 00	\$ 432 10
Durham	571 00	471 50
Fayetteville	558 00	400 25
Greensboro	587 00	450 40
New Berne	717 00	509 01
Raleigh	724 00	592 28
Salisbury	529 00	421 71
Shelby	628 00	400 25
Statesville	491 00	283 85
Trinity College	482 00	350 55
Warrenton	504 00	303 80
Washington	543 00	309 16
Wilmington	598 00	319 36
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	\$7,500 00	

Amount received from Districts	\$5,250 22
From N. C. Conference Trust Fund	409 15
From private contribution	2 53
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	\$ 5,661 90
Amount of Calvin Fund	39 00
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	\$ 5,700 90

DISTRIBUTION OF CONFERENCE AND CALVIN FUND.

	<i>Conference Fund.</i>	<i>Calvin Fund.</i>
Mrs. Paulina Anderson	\$ 49 12	54
Rev. C. M. Anderson and wife	176 50	
Mrs. John N. Andrews	65 50	54
Rev. W. W. Albea and wife	101 00	
Mrs. F. M. Bumpass	65 50	54
Rev. R. P. Bibb's two children	65 50	1 08
Mrs. E. J. Brown and two children	131 00	1 62
Rev. A. A. Boshamer's child		54
Mrs. F. Clegg and three children	40 94	2 16
Mrs. Julia L. Brent and two children		1 62
Rev. Thos. S. Campbell and wife	100 00	
Mrs. Mary C. Coon and one child	181 90	1 08
Mrs. Irene Craven	65 50	54
Mrs. M. C. Closs	131 00	54
Mrs. Lucy A. Cole and two children	98 25	1 62
Rev. Daniel Culbreth	65 50	
Mrs. C. M. Dozier	49 12	54
Mrs. M. J. Dodson and one child	98 25	1 04
Mrs. A. Ervin and two children	98 25	1 62
Mrs. F. C. Freeman	95 50	54
Mrs. M. C. Floyd and one child	98 25	1 08
Rev. Miles Foy and wife	165 50	
Rev. Gaston Farrar and wife	32 75	
Mrs. S. E. Gattis	49 12	54
Mrs. V. F. Gray and one child	122 80	1 08
Mrs. Martha Garrard	32 75	54
Mrs. Lucy Gibbons and six children	150 21	3 78
Rev. H. H. Gibbons	65 50	
Mrs. N. Gwyn and six children	246 82	3 78
Rev. W. S. Haltom and wife	65 50	
Mrs. Eugenia Hill		54
Rev. E. Howland, wife and two children	176 50	
Mrs. W. I. Hull and three children	204 68	2 16
Rev. H. T. Hudson and wife	140 00	
Mrs. A. E. Jordan	65 50	54
Mrs. M. J. Langdon	81 87	54
Mrs. Mary Johnson and two children	163 75	1 62
Rev. J. W. Jenkins, wife and five children	200 00	
Mrs. S. D. Lee and three children	122 80	2 16
Mrs. Jno. W. Lewis	24 46	54
Amount carried forward	\$3,887 09	\$35 06

Amount brought forward	\$3,857 09	\$35 06
Mrs. Land's two children	65 50	1 08
Mrs. James Mahoney	16 37	54
Mrs. L. J. McIntosh	65 50	54
Rev. W. D. Meacham's three children	64 38	1 62
Mrs. M. M. Phillips and one child	98 25	1 08
Mrs. Charles H. Phillips	65 50	54
Mrs. Lavenia McPherson	65 50	54
Rev. C. M. Pepper, wife and four children	242 00	
Mrs. S. E. Moore	65 50	54
Mrs. E. J. W. Purvis	65 50	54
Mrs. M. F. Robbins	32 75	54
Rev. N. F. Reid's son		54
Mrs. Mary A. Rich		54
Rev. J. W. Randle, wife and two children	272 75	
Mrs. P. E. Speck	65 50	54
Mrs. A. B. St. Clair	32 75	54
Mrs. E. F. Stacey		54
Mrs. Lucy C. Shell	32 75	54
Mrs. A. H. Tucker	65 50	54
Mrs. F. I. Tinnen	65 50	54
Mrs. J. E. Thompson		54
Rev. M. C. Thomas, wife and three children	200 00	
Mrs. M. F. Wyche	81 87	54
Mrs. W. H. Watkins	65 50	54
Rev. Joseph Wheeler	65 50	
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	\$	\$
Distributed to claimants	\$5,661 46	
Paid for stationery	44	
Amount of Calvin fund	39 00	
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		\$5,700 90

, NOTE—On page 48 in preceding form the amount paid to Mrs. F. C. Freeman should be \$65.50 instead of \$95.50, as printed. Amount brought forward to page 49 is \$3,857.09. Report printed as handed to Secretary.

ASSESSMENTS FOR CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS.

The Joint Board recommends that the Conference raise the next year for Conference claimants seven thousand five hundred dollars, and that it be distributed, as follows:

Charlotte	District	\$ 628 00
Durham	"	580 00
Fayetteville	"	532 00
Greensboro	"	580 00
New Berne	"	697 00
Raleigh	"	705 00
Salisbury	"	518 00
Shelby	"	580 00
Statesville	"	525 00
Trinity College	"	475 00
Warrenton	"	550 00
Washington	"	545 00
Wilmington	"	585 00
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Total		\$7,500 00

W. S. CREASY, Secretary.

W. J. PARKER, Chairman.

[Document No. 8.]

REPORT OF BOARD OF EDUCATION.

We regard it as a most hopeful feature of our work that there is a growing interest throughout the Conference on the subject of christian education. Our colleges and schools generally are being well patronized, and where they are fully equipped are succeeding as never before. We would urge our members and laymen every where to do what they can to build up good schools of all grades.

We request the Bishop to appoint the Rev. T. N. Ivy Principal of Oak Institute.

Jonesboro High School is the property of the Fayetteville District, is located in Moore county, in the town of Jonesboro. It is a school of high grade and has been well managed and consequently well patronized. It gives great satisfaction to its patrons. We request the Bishop to appoint Rev. W. O. Hightower Principal of Jonesboro High School. We also request the Bishop to appoint Rev. A. W. Mangum, D. D., Professor in the University of North Carolina, and Rev. James M. Rhodes President of Henderson Female College.

GREENSBORO FEMALE COLLEGE.

This excellent Institution prospers as never before, and over whose prosperity N. C. Methodism greatly rejoices.

We heartily recommend the following:

Resolved, 1st. That in Greensboro Female College the Methodist Church in North Carolina has an institution of learning for the education of young ladies second to none in this country, an institution of which we may justly be proud.

2nd. That Rev. W. C. Norman, Rev. F. H. Wood, and R. R. Crawford be appointed a visiting committee from this Conference to Greensboro Female College.

DAVENPORT FEMALE COLLEGE.

This property, owned by our Conference, has been leased by a gentleman for a term of years for school purposes not under our control.

CENTRAL INSTITUTE.

Central Institute for young ladies, is located in Warren county, N. C., the Principal, Rev. J. M. Rhodes, has resigned, but the Trustees have determined to continue the school, we hope with increased facilities for work in the educational field.

TRINITY COLLEGE.

From the report of the Committee of Management of Trinity College and the report of the Treasurer of the Board of Trustees and other sources, we obtain the following information:

The buildings are in a good state of repair and are insured in the sum of \$20,000. Furniture and apparatus are good and ample for present uses. Six Professors compose the Faculty. One hundred and seventy students have been enrolled the present year, which is a gain of twenty-two over last year, and the largest number for several years past. Twelve of those who have attended during the year expect to be preachers of the gospel.

The aggregate of salaries of professors and tutors agreed to be

paid is	\$ 5,660.00
Balance due on salaries of last year	741.00

Total to be paid this year	\$ 6,401.00
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Received of the Committee	\$ 2,000.00
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Received of Tuition	2,086.62
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Received of Conference collection	1,730.37
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Total paid	5,816.99
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Balance due on salaries	\$ 584.01
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There is still due for Tuition this year	657.37
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If this balance be collected there will be a balance over of	73.36
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The amount of free tuition given to ministers' sons and one son of a professor, is \$589.00.

Twenty-four students have received part or all of their tuition "on time," and the amount of such tuition this year is \$573.00.

The tuition of twenty students is to be paid out of the Conference collection, and the whole amount of their tuition is \$408.25.

Nothing has been expended this year for furniture, apparatus and repairs.

During the year, up to date, the sum of \$1,176.35 has been received from fees and books and stationery, and \$997.45 has been expended for books and incidental expenses, leaving a balance on hand of \$178.90 to cover the deficiencies in this fund last year.

The amount raised this year by the Conference was paid by Districts as follows:

DISTRICTS.	ASSESSED.	PAID.
Raleigh, -----	\$ 241.13	\$156.00
Durham, -----	190.00	190.00
Greensboro, -----	195.67	185.00
Salisbury, -----	176.33	99.17
Statesville, -----	163.66	51.65
Shelby, -----	163.66	90.33
Charlotte, -----	189.34	77.15
Fayetteville, -----	186.00	168.00
Wilmington, -----	199.33	99.12
Newbern, -----	239.00	204.45
Warrenton, -----	168.00	101.37
Washington, -----	181.00	141.13
Trinity College, -----	161.00	161.00
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Total, -----	\$2,454.12	\$1,724.37

REPORT OF TREASURER OF TRUSTEES OF TRINITY COLLEGE.

"GENTLEMEN—I found on taking charge of the Treasurership of the College, December 20th, 1884, the debt to amount to \$7,317.29,

DISTRIBUTED AS FOLLOWS:

Total amount of debt of Trinity College, Dec. 20, 1884.	\$7,317 29
Due to the Wachovia National Bank, Winston	\$2,800 00
Interest on above, Sept. 20th to Dec. 20th, 1884	56 00
Amount due Dr. R. W. Thomas, Thomasville, N. C.	1,027 43
Amount due Robert Gray, Thomasville. N. C.	587 21
Interest on above, August 21, 1883, to December 20, 1884, six per cent	46 97
Amount due W. S. Bradshaw, Trinity College	800 00
Interest on above 12 months, eight per cent	64 00
Amount due Mrs. Irene Craven, Executrix of Dr. B. Craven	1,080 00
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Amount carried forward	\$6,461 61

Amount brought forward.....	\$ 6,461 61
Amount due to Trinity Building and Loan Association.....	735 52
Balance due Wachovia National Bank, Winston, on a note given by Dr. L. S. Burkhead, Treasurer, Dec. 23, 1883, for \$265.....	105 16
Amount due G. S. Bradshaw, Asheboro.....	15 00
	————— \$7,317 29

RECEIPTS.

During my term as Treasurer I have received the following amounts :

1884.

Dec. 3. Cash received from former Treasurer, Rev. Dr.	
L. S. Burkhead	\$ 65 00
Cash received from Rev. R. S. Webb, Treasurer	
N. C. Conference Centenary Fund	342 38
Cash received from Rev. Dr. M. L. Wood	20 00
Cash received from Rev. Dr. R. O. Burton.....	38 91

1885.

Mar. 13. Cash received from Rev. V. A. Sharpe as part payment of a note turned over to me by the former Treasurer.....	25 00
19. Cash received from J. A. Long, attorney, Ex- ecutor of the estate of Dr. C. G. Siddell, of Caswell county.....	2,000 00
25. Cash received from Jas. N. Watson to pay his note of equal amount.....	50 00
June 11. Cash received from Rev. W. C. Willson, part payment of a note turned over to me by the former Treasurer.....	25 00
Aug. 10. Cash received from J. A. Long, attorney, Ex- ecutor of the estate of Dr. C. G. Siddell, of Caswell county.....	700 00
Nov. 5. Cash received from Rev. J. T. Harris, in full payment of balance due on his note turned over to me by former Treasurer.....	50 00
14. Cash received from J. M. McMichael, as interest due on his note which I hold as Treasurer....	2 00
17. Cash received from Rev. J. T. Gibbs, in full payment of balance due upon his note turned over to me by the former Treasurer.....	10 00
Making total amount of receipts in cash for Con- ference year ending November 25, 1885.....	\$3,328 29

1885.

Dec. 3.	Cash received from Jas. P. Hunt, interest on his endowment note of \$100	6 00
14.	Check on Bank of New Hanover for credit of R. S. Webb, per his letter September 12....	20 16
16.	Cash received at Conference at Charlotte, [not stated.]	
	Cash from Prof. I. L. Wright, interest on endowment note	6 00
	Cash from H. B. Adams, in full of his note...	10 00
	Cash from J. H. Cordon, in part payment of note	5 00

1886.

Feb'y 9.	- Sight Draft B. S. Graves, Sheriff, on Planters' National Bank, Danville, Va., balance from the Siddell estate.....	335 80
May 7.	Sight Draft on Elliott Bros., New York, from Rev. F. A. Bishop, collection in favor of Trinity on last year.....	14 00
June 11.	Post Office order from I. L. Wright, Thomasville, N. C., on his endowment note to July, 1886	6 00

DISBURSEMENTS.

As Treasurer, I have made the following disbursements:

1885.

Jan. 8.	Paid amount due G. S. Bradshaw, Ashboro.....	\$ 15 00
Feb. 7.	Paid Mrs. Irene Craven, Executrix.....	414 38
28.	Paid the Wachovia National Bank on principal of debt	1,796 53
28.	Paid the Wachovia National Bank as interest on their debt to date	98 31
28.	Paid First National Bank, Winston, balance due on note executed by L. S. Burkhead, Treasurer, Dec. 29, 1883, for \$265	105 16
Mar. 24.	Paid for postage stamps and printing	5 54
June 13.	Paid O. W. Carr, insurance on College property	147 19
July 7.	Paid interest on Wachovia National Bank debt to August 28, 1885.....	40 80
Aug. 10.	Paid Mrs. Irene Craven, Executrix, balance due on her claim in full	665 62
Aug. 10.	Paid Mrs. Irene Craven, Executrix, interest,	32 55
Dec. 16.	Paid expenses in winding up Siddell estate.....	4 75

Amount carried forward

\$3,325 83

1886.	Amount brought forward	\$3,325 83
Jan'y 13.	Paid Robert Gray interest on note, \$587.21, two years four months and eleven days to January 1, 1886.	83 27
Feb'y 9.	Paid check Geo. S. Bradshaw, Ashboro, N. C., on claim of his father, W. S. Bradshaw	294 94
Mar. 24.	Paid check to J. W. Alspaugh, insurance paid O. W. Carr	60 25
Mar. 29.	Paid check to O. W. Carr, insurance.....	125 00
June 17.	Paid for stamps for mailing circulars.....	4 18

		\$3,893 47

1886.	
Dec. 1.	Subtracting the receipts from the disbursements shows balance due me as Treasurer...\$ 162 22

PRESENT INDEBTEDNESS OF TRINITY COLLEGE.

Dec. 1.	The indebtedness of the College to date is.....	\$7,483 30
Distributed as follows :		
" 1.	Amount due the endowment fund of Trinity College.....	\$3,087 80
" 1.	Balance due on Wachovia National Bank debt. 1,003 47	
" 1.	Interest on this amount to date.....	80 27
" 1.	Amount due Dr. R. W. Thomas, of Thomasville, N. C.....	1,027 43
" 1.	Interest on this amount to date.....	82 19
" 1.	Amount due Robt. Gray, Thomasville, N. C..	587 21
" 1.	Interest from January 1st to December 1st, 1886, eleven months at 8 per cent.....	43 06
" 1.	Amount due W. S. Bradshaw, Trinity College.	633 06
" 1.	Interest from February 9th to December 1st, 1886, at 8 per cent.....	41 07
" 1.	Amount due Trinity Building and Loan Association.....	735 52
" 1.	Balance due J. S. Carr, Treasurer, on account of overdraft	162 22

		\$7,483 30

While the total debt of the College is \$7,483.30, as shown above, \$3,087 80 of this amount is due to the Endowment Fund of the College, and this is under our control. The balance, \$4,395.50, is past due, and ought to be paid. In fact, some of the holders of claims against the College are declaring that they intend to sell the property without further delay.

INCREASE OF INDEBTEDNESS DURING 1886.

The Board of Management undertook only to run the College for two years, pledged to the creation of no new debt, yet the unpaid interest of the old debt, in the absence of any provision made to meet it, has increased the debt of the College during the past twelve months, \$369.47.

The debt of the College in December, 1885, as reported by

the Treasurer..... \$7,113 83

The debt of the College as reported by the Treasurer, December, 1886

7.483 30

Increase of the debt during the year 1886

\$369 47

EXPECTATIONS.

There is a hope of realizing some time in the future about \$1,000 from the sale of a parcel of land in Iredell county, also about \$500 from an estate in Rowan county. Further than this the College has no assets in sight that I am aware of but a lot of notes and pledges, which, in my judgment, are almost, if not altogether, worthless.

THE ENDOWMENT FUND.

The following items constitute the Endowment Fund of Trinity College :

Cash received from J. A. Long, attorney, executor of the estate of Dr. C. G. Siddell, of Caswell county, March 19th, 1885..... \$2,000 00

Cash received from J. A. Long, attorney, executor of the estate of Dr. C. G. Siddell, of Caswell county, August 10th, 1885..... 700 00

Cash received from Jas. N. Watson to pay his note of equal amount, March 25th, 1885..... 50 00

Amount received from J. M. McMichael, as interest due on his note which I hold as Treasurer, November 14th, 1885..... 2 00

Sight draft of B. S. Graves, Sheriff, on Planters' National Bank, Danville, Va., balance from the Siddell estate, February 9th, 1886..... 335 80

\$3,087 80

The Endowment Fund has been appropriated by the Board and used in liquidation of the indebtedness of the College to Mrs. Irene Craven, executrix; in reducing the amount of the mortgage note held by the Wachovia National Bank; in making partial payment on claim held against the College by Mr. W. S. Bradshaw, of Trinity College; in paying interest on the claims of the creditors, insurance premiums, etc. But the Board has never taken any

steps to secure to the Endowment Fund the amount advanced by it, and I earnestly beg that at this session of the Board the President of the Board of Trustees, or whoever is the proper party, be authorized to execute to Jas. A. Gray, or some suitable person, as trustee, a mortgage upon the property of the College to secure this loan. *This matter should be attended to by all means.*

The Committee of Management, consisting of Col. J. W. Alspaugh, Mr. Jas. A. Gray and myself, who at the Wilmington Conference two years ago, undertook the management of the College for two years, hoping that in the meanwhile the church would inaugurate some plan to relieve the College of its financial embarrassment (but in this we have been disappointed), beg to surrender our charge to the Conference. We cannot consent longer to sustain the same relations to the institution. In our judgment the only hope for the College lies in a speedy endowment of the same, and to this matter we trust the Conference at this session will give its best thought.

I have in my possession notes and pledges amounting to \$4,659 73, but the poor success I have met with in collecting leads me to conclude that they are, in a large measure, worthless.

My onerous duties, my brethren, *force me* to resign my position as Treasurer. But, in laying down the Treasurership, I relinquish none of my loyalty as a Methodist, or fealty to Trinity. Its embarrassed condition troubles me greatly. I do assure you, and I pledge my sympathies, co-operation and assistance to any movement promising relief, but *presssing* demands upon my time compel me to resign the Treasurership.

Praying heaven's blessings upon the College, and trusting our common Father at this session of the Conference will guide and assist us in inaugurating some plan for the speedy relief of the College from its unfortunate embarrassment, and will yet vouchsafe the College to the church, a bright jewel in the coronet of Methodism, I beg to subscribe myself, with much love and esteem,

Your obedient servant,

J. S. CARR.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

"I beg to recommend for the consideration of the Board the following suggestions:

1st. That arrangements be made at this session of the Board to secure to the Endowment Fund the loan which that fund has made to the Board, amounting to \$3,087.80. To longer delay this important matter, in my humble judgment, would be both criminal and sinful.

2nd. That the Board at this session make arrangements to raise some ready cash to keep the insurance paid up on the College buildings, and defray some other cash expenses that will necessarily arise. It is of the utmost importance that the insurance upon the buildings be kept up, as the property is pledged as security for borrowed money.

3rd. I recommend further, that, at this session of the Conference, steps be taken to endow the College. It is useless to attempt to run the College any longer without an endowment; and with a suitable person to manage the move-

ment, and to canvass in the interest of an endowment, the purpose can be accomplished.

I nominate to the Board, for the purpose of canvassing and raising the endowment, the Hon. Thos. J. Jarvis. While I have no reason for saying so, it is my opinion that his services may be had for the purpose, and with him in the field the endowment is assured.

One more suggestion, if you please: that is, we make more ado over Trinity College. First, by giving the College a special day Conference week, known as "Trinity College day;" and also during the year let each pulpit have a "Trinity College day." We have heretofore done too much of our talking in behalf of Trinity College in basement rooms, back rooms, up-stairs rooms, and the like, with sparsely attended committees, who were always in a hurry. That the College has lived as long as it has, and accomplished the great amount of good it has, with such treatment, is to be wondered at. Take Trinity College from the rear and bring it to the front. Legislate about it, and speak about it in open Conference for a whole day, if necessary, every year, and send much of the other business that comes before the Conference, to the exclusion of Trinity College, to the committee rooms. Stir up an enthusiasm for Trinity all over the church, and you make the endowment of the College an easy matter."

J. S. C.

With the present Fall Term the management of the College by the committee, composed of Bros. J. W. Alspaugh, J. A. Gray and J. S. Carr, ceases, and the Conference resumes control.

We think it eminently proper that the Conference should remember with gratitude the care and liberality of these brethren, and that the College under their supervision has reached such a gratifying state of prosperity.

As some arrangements must be made to continue the work of this indispensable institution, your Board recommend the following resolutions for the consideration of the Conference:

Resolved, 1st. That the Board of Trustees be directed to secure a President for the College as early as possible.

2nd. That the Conference make an annual contribution of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars to supplement the current expense fund and pay pressing debts, and that the apportionment of this sum to the Presiding Elders' Districts be made by the Treasurer of the Faculty, on the basis of the Conference Claimant Assessment, and that the Presiding Elders be charged with the duty of collection.

3rd. That all moneys raised on this collection be paid to the Treasurer of the Faculty and disbursed under the direction of the President of the College and President of the Board of Trustees, and that the Treasurer make a full report of receipts and disbursements to the next Annual Conference.

That Rev. J. F. Heitman be appointed Professor in Trinity College.

J. R. GRIFFITH, Chairman.

F. A. BISHOP, Secretary.

[Document No. 9.]

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

We, your committee on Books and Periodicals, beg leave to submit the following report:

1st. We rejoice at the continued success and prosperity of our Publishing House at Nashville, Tennessee, and respectfully urge our people to patronize that institution in preference to all others. We call special attention to the *Nashville Christian Advocate*, our central organ, and insist that our people enlarge its circulation and thereby extend its usefulness.

2d. We are glad to see a continued improvement in our Sunday-school literature, yet we believe that there ought to be a stronger and more decided expression of the doctrines of Methodism in our Quarterlies and Magazines.

3d. We heartily recommend to our people *The Methodist Armor and Catechism*, by Dr. H. T. Hudson; *Sketches of Pioneer Methodists in North Carolina and Virginia*, by Rev. M. H. Moore; and the *Catechism on Baptism*, by Dr. L. S. Burkhead.

RALEIGH CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE.

4th. We note with pleasure the continued improvement and prosperity of the *Raleigh Christian Advocate*. Its editorial management, full corps of contributors, and neat mechanical appearance entitle it to high rank in the family of *Advocates*, and merits for it a place in all our Methodist families; therefore,

Resolved 1st, That we heartily endorse the *Raleigh Christian Advocate* as the organ of the North Carolina Conference, and that we will make increased efforts to extend its circulation.

Resolved 2d, That we request the presiding Bishop to appoint Rev. F. L. Reid editor of the *Raleigh Christian Advocate*.

THE QUARTERLY REVIEW.

5th. We have taken into consideration this very important publication, "The Southern Quarterly Review," issued at our Publishing House, and edited by Dr. Harrison. And appreciating, as the committee does, the necessity for such a publication of higher literature, and believing that the present editor will keep it up to the excellent standard reached by its former editor, Dr. Hinton, we most cordially commend it to all our people, and especially to our preachers and educated laymen.

L. J. HOLDEN, Chairman.

W. L. GRISSOM, Secretary.

[Document No. 10.]

REPORT OF BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION.

The Board of Church Extension having completed its work for the present session, submits the following report :

The apportionments on the Districts for the year 1886, have been met in the following manner :

		ASSESSED.	PAID.
Raleigh	District	\$ 447 00	\$ 290 25
Durham	"	355 00	232 00
Greensboro	"	358 00	272 00
Salisbury	"	300 00	189 88
Shelby	"	330 00	144 83
Charlotte	"	338 00	92 32
Fayetteville	"	397 00	207 00
Wilmington	"	387 00	123 94
New Berne	"	417 00	166 20
Washington	"	305 00	109 93
Warrenton	"	300 00	92 67
Statesville	"	336 00	135 32
Trinity College	"	230 00	159 30
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Anniversary collection		\$4,500 00	\$2,215 64
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Forwarded to Rev. D. Morton			\$2,266 14
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Remaining			\$1,133 07
Cash on hand from last year			215 90
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Remaining to be appropriated			\$1,348 97
The above amount has been appropriated as follows :			
Newton Grove, Newton Grove Mission, Raleigh District		\$ 50 00	
Siler, Pittsboro Circuit, Durham District		100 00	
Front Street, Wilmington, Wilmington District		100 00	
Boundary Street, Goldsboro, New Berne District		250 00	
Bell's Ferry, LaGrange Circuit, New Berne District		50 00	
Spring Hill, Lillington Circuit, Fayetteville District		100 00	
Gastonia, Dallas Circuit, Shelby District		200 00	
South Point, Gaston Circuit, Shelby District		50 00	
Vanceboro, Swift Creek Mission, Washington District		75 00	
Hobgood Fork, Scotland Neck Mission, Warrenton District		100 00	
Goshen, Kernersville Circuit, Greensboro District		30 00	
Centenary, Greensboro, Greensboro District		75 00	
Moss', Iredell Circuit, Statesville District		50 00	
Church Street, Charlotte, Charlotte District		70 00	
Centenary, Davidson Circuit, Trinity College District		35 00	
Incidentals		I 00	
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			\$ 1,348 97

ASSESSMENTS FOR 1887.

The assessments for the year 1887 being \$4,500, it is recommended that the apportionment be as follows :

Raleigh	District	\$ 427 00
Durham	"	330 00
Greensboro	"	340 00
Salisbury	"	308 00
Statesville	"	352 00
Shelby	"	346 00
Charlotte	"	372 00
Fayetteville	"	345 00
Wilmington	"	347 00
New Berne	"	402 00
Warrenton	"	328 00
Washington	"	318 00
Trinity College	"	285 00
Total		\$4,500 00

We beg leave to call your attention to the law of the church in reference to the organization of "The Woman's Department of Church Extension," as embraced in the Discipline, chapter 11, section 3, Articles XI, XII, XIII and XIV, and in conformity therewith we recommend the organization of a department to be known as "The Woman's Department of the Church Extension Board of the N. C. Conference." This department shall adopt a constitution agreeable to the provisions of the Discipline. The general officers of the Woman's Department shall consist of a Secretary and Treasurer, and a District Secretary for each Presiding Elder's district.

We beg leave to appoint the following general officers for this Conference :

Secretary—Miss BETTIE CARTER, Durham, N. C.

Treasurer—Mrs. DR. A. G. CARR, Durham, N. C.

DISTRICT SECRETARIES.

Raleigh District—Miss LILLIAN BRANSON, Raleigh, N. C.

Durham District—Mrs. A. G. HEADEN, Pittsboro, N. C.

Greensboro District—Mrs. D. A. ROBINSON, Greensboro, N. C.

Salisbury District—Mrs. W. R. ODELL, Concord, N. C.

Statesville District—Mrs. J. B. CONNELLY, Statesville, N. C.

Charlotte District—Mrs. T. D. WINCHESTER, Monroe, N. C.

Shelby District—Miss AMANDA LEE, Shelby, N. C.

Fayetteville District—Miss BELLE WORTHY, Jonesboro, N. C.

Wilmington District—Mrs. W. W. HODGES, Wilmington, N. C.

New Berne District—Miss SARAH DAVIS, Beaufort, N. C.

Washington District—Mrs. T. H. GATLIN, Tarboro, N. C.

Trinity College District—Miss LAURA CLEMENTS, Lexington, N. C.

Warrenton District—Mrs. E. A. THORNE, Littleton, N. C.

We have unanimously adopted the following amendment to the Constitution of our Board, viz: To Article 6 add the following language, to-wit: "And also until the application shall have been approved and signed by the P. C. and P. E. of the District."

Our Board also passed unanimously the following resolutions:

WHEREAS, This Board is burdened and embarrassed by a large number of applications to near the amount of \$5,000; and whereas, we have not more than \$1,200 or \$1,500 to distribute annually;

Resolved 1st. That we request our preachers to discourage our people from making application to said Board, unless it is absolutely necessary.

Resolved 2d. That we discourage our people from contracting debts on our church buildings and then applying to said Board to liquidate such debts.

Respectfully submitted,

J. T. KENDALL, Secretary.

T. H. PEGRAM, President.

[Document No. 11.]

REPORT No. 2, ON TEMPERANCE.

The committee on Temperance have had under careful consideration certain communications from the W. C. T. U., and present the following resolutions:

1st, That this Conference is in full sympathy with the W. C. T. U. in their praiseworthy efforts to suppress the traffic in ardent spirits in North Carolina, and we will aid them in every practicable way to secure this end.

2d. That we most heartily endorse the sentiments of the communication sent to this Conference, and we will comply with the request therein contained.

Signed

P. GREENING,

G. W. CALLAHAN,

R. P. TROY,

R. H. WHITAKER,

W. A. WOOLLEN,

A. G. GANTT,

J. T. ABERNETHY.

[Document No. 12.]

REPORT ON CHURCH PROPERTY..

(Adopted at Conference.)

Your committee on Church Property report as follows:

We find that during the Conference year 22 churches and 2 parsonages have been built at a total cost of \$68,835. Total number of church buildings belonging to the Conference, 879; total number of parsonages belonging to the Conference, 104; total value of churches, parsonages and other church property belonging to the Conference, \$1,132,344. There is a notable improvement in

the construction of a large number of the new churches as to comfort and architectural expression.

A number of the new churches completed this year, and in process of erection, are creditable to the generosity of our people and indicative of the material progress of Methodism in North Carolina.

The time has come in the history of our church when it is necessary that we should have in our cities and larger towns rooms specially equipped and furnished in order to insure the largest measure of success in the Sunday-school work.

There is a growing need for suitable parsonages on many of our stations, circuits and districts.

There has been considerable activity this year in securing and perfecting indefeasible titles to the property owned by the church, but some titles still remain unperfected.

In many localities the attendance upon the administration of the Word, and the successful operation of the Sunday-schools are materially interfered with by a lack of suitable heating arrangements in the churches.

Your committee therefore recommend,

1. That building committees, wherever practicable, adopt the modern and improved style of architecture in the construction of church buildings, holding in view the advantages to be derived from having separate apartments for the Sunday-school work.

2. That earnest efforts be made during the coming year by the preachers assigned to charges where there are no parsonages, to procure the erection of suitable dwellings, and that care be displayed in the location of the same.

3. That the Presiding Elders of the respective districts of our Conference be earnestly enjoined to require of every Board of Trustees in their districts, written reports as to the titles and condition of the church property, real and personal, under their control, and that as far as possible every defect as to title be corrected, that attention be paid to the condition of church buildings and parsonages needing repairs, and that wherever practicable, insurance against fire be effected.

4. That more attention be paid to the comfort in winter of those who attend church and the Sunday-school, that our churches be used solely in the service of God, and that the promiscuous and indifferent uses made of God's houses of worship be condemned by the Conference.

Respectfully submitted,

JNO. F. BRUTON, Chairman.

[Document No. 13.]
 REPORT No. 2 OF BOARD OF MISSIONS.

MISSIONARY ASSESSMENTS.

Assessments of Missionary Board of North Carolina Conference for Conference year 1887:

	District	FOREIGN.	DOMESTIC.
Raleigh		\$ 1,663 00	\$ 749 00
Durham	"	1,300 00	572 00
Greensboro	"	1,354 00	610 00
Salisbury	"	1,229 00	547 00
Statesville	"	1,399 00	629 00
Shelby	"	1,371 00	615 00
Charlotte	"	1,473 00	660 00
Fayetteville	"	1,456 00	635 00
Wilmington	"	1,459 00	615 00
New Berne	"	1,641 00	740 00
Warrenton	"	1,294 00	580 00
Washington	"	1,230 00	500 00
Trinity College	"	1,124 00	550 00
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		\$17,993 00	\$8,002 00

[Document No. 14.]
 REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE JOURNAL.

The committee on the Publication of the Conference Journal, report as follows:

Upon investigation we find that the Secretary, D. W. Bain, for the benefit of the Conference, has incurred the following expenses:

Printing 3,250 copies of Journal as ordered by last Conference	\$266 24
Statistical and financial blanks for 1885	6 00
New Record book for Annual Conference	8 00
Statistical book as ordered by General Conference	1 00
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	\$281 24

Upon this there has been made, by payments upon minutes, a credit of 205 51

Leaving a balance due the publishers the sum of \$ 75 73

Of this amount, however, only \$60.73 are due upon minutes, the remainder being upon other things.

In addition to this there is a deficiency of \$15.00 from last year, owing to the fact that some of the amounts subscribed were not paid.

The reasons for the indebtedness upon the minutes are that a large number of preachers refused to subscribe for them, and that a large number of copies were not taken, the Conference having ordered an extra edition of 250 copies, which have been of no use, except as they have been freely used at this Conference.

Resolved, That the Conference proceed at once to raise the amount and pay the same over to the Secretary to be paid to the publishers. We also recommend that the Secretary, D. W. Bain, be authorized to publish 3,000 copies of the Journal of this session upon the plan the last Journal was published.

Resolved, That the roll of the Conference be called and each member be requested to respond to his name and state how many copies he will take and pay for at one dollar per dozen, postage or express charges to be added, to be paid by the purchaser.

W. L. CUNINGGIM, Secretary.

N. M. JURNEY, Chairman.

GENERAL MINUTES.

Question 1. Who are admitted on trial ?

Answer. Edward H. Davis, John D. Pegram, Charles W. Robinson, Thos. N. Ivey, Zachariah J. Needham, Doctor Pinkney Tate, Martin T. Steele, Richard W. Townsend, Zadok Paris, Daniel C. Geddie, James G. Johnston, William H. Puckett, Hilliard M. Eure, George F. Smith, Henry B. Anderson, John M. Pool—16.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial ?

Ans. George B. Perry, Erskine Pope, William S. Davis, Solomon Pool, James M. Downum, George W. Fisher, Robert M. Taylor, Joseph A. Green, Thomas C. Lovin, William H. Townsend, Curtis W. Godwin, Major T. Best, Theodore P. Bonner, Robert B. Gilliam, Amos Gregson, William A. Forbes, Charles J. Soon, William O. Hightower, class of first year, Bascom A. York, class of second year, Nathan H. Guyton, class of first year.—20.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued ?

Ans. Valance G. Rollins.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection ?

Ans. William R. Ware, Miles M. McFarland, John J. Grigg, John A. Hornaday, Samuel R. Belk, Condor P. Jerome, William F. Coffin, Duncan A. Futrell, Joseph G. Nelson, James R. Betts, William W. Rose, John E. Woosley, Alpheus E. Wiley—13.

Ques. 5. Who are re-admitted ?

Ans. Enoch L. Stamey.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences ?

Ans. None.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year ?

Ans. Marcus D. Giles, Barzilia C. Allred, James A. Bowles, Robert P. Troy, John E. Underwood, James M. Ashby, Daniel H. Tuttle, Hugh M. Blair, John B. Hurley, Roderick B. John, Frank M. Shamberger, Marshall A. Smith, Thomas J. Daily, Thomas S. Ellington, third year, Charles C. Brothiers, third year, Wm. J. Crowson, third year, Thomas J. Browning, fourth year—17.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons ?

Ans. Miles M. McFarland, John J. Grigg, John A. Hornaday, Samuel R. Belk, William F. Coffin, Duncan A. Futrell, Joseph G. Nelson, Jas. R. Betts, William W. Rose, John E. Woosley—10.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons ?

Ans. Miles M. McFarland, John J. Grigg, John A. Hornaday, Samuel R. Belk, William F. Coffin, Duncan A. Futrell, Joseph G. Nelson, James R. Betts, William W. Rose, John E. Woosley—10.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons?

Ans. Richard H. Whitaker, Alexander Walker, Elwood E. Smith, Miles W. Long, William H. Harrell—5.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons?

Ans. Richard H. Whitaker, Alexander Walker—2.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders?

Ans. John H. Hall, Clater W. Smith, Charles O. Durant, Lawrence O. Wyche, Edward L. Pell, Alpheus McCullen, Isaac A. White, Jacob A. Lee, Charles W. Byrd—9.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders?

Ans. James H. Hall, Clater W. Smith, Charles O. Durant, Lawrence O. Wyche, Edward L. Pell, Alpheus McCullen, Isaac A. White, Jacob A. Lee, Charles W. Byrd—9.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders?

Ans. William H. Puckett, William S. Davis—2.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders?

Ans. William H. Puckett, William S. Davis—2.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year?

Ans. None.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary?

Ans. Isaac F. Keerans, William H. Call, Thomas C. Moses, Elisha J. Eudaily, James Willson, Isaac W. Avent, Thomas W. Smith, David R. Bruton—8.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated?

Ans. Willis S. Haltom, Daniel Culbreth, George E. Wyche, James W. Randall, Miles Foy, William W. Albea, Thomas L. Hoyle, Gaston Farrar, Edward Howland, Joseph H. Wheeler, Marcus C. Thomas, Hilary T. Hudson, Clarendon M. Pepper, Thomas S. Campbell, Henry H. Gibbons, Charles M. Anderson, John Tillett, James W. Wheeler, Simeon D. Peeler—19.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the year?

Ans. James Mahoney, William H. Watkins—2.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?

Ans. Their names were called one by one, and their characters examined and passed. John T. Bagwell expelled.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

Ans. Eighty-three thousand three hundred and ten.

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year?

Ans. Two thousand six hundred and eighty-two.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year?

Ans. Four thousand seven hundred and nine.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday-schools?

Ans. Eight hundred and eighty-six.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday-school teachers?

Ans. Six thousand and eighty-four.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars?

Ans. Fifty thousand nine hundred and eighty-three.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers?

Ans. Seven thousand five hundred dollars.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied?

Ans. \$5,250.22, and applied to claimants.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for missions?

Ans. Foreign, \$10,769.70; Domestic, \$4,547.00.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for Church Extension?

Ans. \$2,293.75.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value of church edifices?

Ans. No. 879½; Value, \$911,323.00.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages?

Ans. No. 104; Value \$133,765.00.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics?

Ans. Trinity College. Incorporated by act of General Assembly of North Carolina, ratified 28th of January, 1851, amended by act of 1858-'9, chapter 35. Value of buildings and grounds \$30,000. Number of faculty 6; number of students enrolled the present year 170.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held?

Ans. Fayetteville, N. C.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

Ans. See Appointments.

TABLE OF MEMBERSHIPS, BAPTISMS AND
CHURCH PROPERTY, NORTH CAROLINA AN-
NUAL CONFERENCE, 1886.

RALEIGH DISTRICT.													
NAME OF CHARGE.	Local Preach'r	No. of White Members	No. of Colore Members	Net Gain.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Infants Baptized.	No. of Churches	Value of Churches.	No. Parsonsages	Value of Parsonsages.	Value of other Church Prop-erty.	Money Expend ed on Churches and Parsonsages	
Raleigh—Eden- ton Street.....	2	525	.....	47	22	5	1	\$ 25,500	1	\$ 4,000	\$ 4,000	\$ 4,187	
Raleigh—Person Street.....	1	275	.....	19	14	9	1	5,500	1	1,500	.....	135	
Brooklyn and M. Mission.....	1	133	1	4	11	5	3	2,600	1	700	.....	976	
Cary Circuit.....	1	341	.....	59	9	6	4,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rolesville Circuit	1	487	.....	30	15	4	6	8,500	1	700	.....	55	
Smithfield Cir.....	1	419	.....	75	56	5	5	8,000	1	500	.....	100	
Clayton Circuit.....	3	328	2	21	35	1	6	4,000	.....	.....	.....	15	
Tar River Circuit	3	821	4	13	42	7	7	9,000	1	2,500	.....	115	
Youngsville Cir.....	3	310	.....	70	25	2	7	2,500	.....	50	50	50	
Louisburg Stat'n.....	1	155	.....	6	6	8	2	3,750	1	2,000	.....	435	
Oxford Circuit.....	1	525	1	51	44	1	6	6,000	.....	.....	183	115	
Henderson Stat'n.....	1	229	.....	32	.....	2	1	5,200	.....	.....	.....	1,000	
Buckhorn Circuit	5	679	.....	49	52	7	6	4,000	1	800	.....	75	
Earpsboro Miss'n.....	1	172	.....	92	65	1	3	1,000	.....	.....	.....	800	
Newton Grove Mission.....	2	422	.....	102	65	6	5	1,500	.....	100	100	.....
Oxford Station.....	1	180	.....	78	41	6	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	18	6001	8	640	108	502	64	66	\$ 91,550	8	\$ 12,700	\$ 1,333	\$ 8,158
DUHHAM DISTRICT.													
Durham Station.....	1	429	.....	69	45	9	1	\$ 20,000	1	\$ 3,600	.....	.....	\$ 3,200
Hillsboro Circuit.....	1	560	1	8	19	13	5	5,800	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Durham Circuit.....	1	520	1	20	20	2	6	3,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	200
Chapel Hill Sta.....	1	215	8	13	4	2	2	3,000	.....	1,300	.....	525	500
Person Circuit.....	2	653	.....	73	38	5	10	6,800	1	3,000	.....	.....	775
Leasburg Circuit	3	740	1	19	3	20	9	7,800	1	2,000	.....	.....	83
Alamance Cir.....	.....	400	1	77	15	5	5	2,000	1	1,000	.....	.....	550
Haw River Cir.....	3	556	.....	75	48	5	5	4,850	.....	.....	.....	.....	700
Pittsboro Circuit	2	836	3	68	60	20	10	8,700	1	600	.....	.....	1,300
Granville Circuit.....	1	474	.....	22	25	2	6	5,000	1	1,000	.....	.....	1,000
West & East End.....	.....	127	.....	.....	44	.....	2	11,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,533
Total.....	14	5510	15	369	75	356	78	61	\$ 78,950	6	\$ 10,600	\$ 1,300	\$ 6,533
GREENSBORO DISTRICT.													
Greensboro Sta.....	3	390	.....	30	12	2	2	\$ 10,000	1	\$ 3,500	.....	.....	\$ 1,635
Guilford Circuit.....	2	729	2	64	40	11	6	4,000	.....	.....	.....	200	.....
East Guilford Cir.....	1	295	.....	24	20	8	2	1,800	.....	100	.....	46	.....
Pleasant Garden Circuit.....	1	417	.....	35	32	1	6	2,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,145
Winston Station	3	605	.....	135	60	15	2	31,000	.....	.....	.....	1,300	.....
Forsyth Circuit.....	5	787	.....	2	31	14	11	7,000	1	875	.....	.....	2,287
Stokes Circuit.....	2	656	1	79	37	5	10	8,450	1	800	.....	.....	70
Madison Circuit.....	1	650	9	70	73	8	9	6,900	.....	.....	100	.....	211
Ruffin Circuit.....	1	500	.....	49	58	12	4	6,300	.....	.....	.....	125	.....
Reidsville Stat'n.....	1	272	.....	62	22	6	1	3,250	1	500	.....	.....	1,000
Yanceyville Cir.....	.....	850	.....	.....	90	3	0	8,650	1	1,500	.....	.....	200
Kernersville Cir.....	2	458	.....	56	41	6	7	4,900	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,325
Total.....	21	6,618	12	606	516	91	70	\$ 94,750	5	\$ 7,175	\$ 1,325	17,094	.....

TABLE OF MEMBERSHIPS, &c.—CONTINUED.

SALISBURY DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	Local Preach'rs	No. of White Members.	No. of Colored Members.	Net Gain.	Net Loss.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Infants Baptized.	No. of Churches	Value of Churches.	No. Parsonages	Value of Parsonages.	Value of other Church Prop- erty.	Money Expend- ed on Churches and Parsonages	
Salisbury Station	1	252	1	14	4	12	1	10,000	\$	4	\$	180	\$ 516	
Salisbury Circuit	1	483	30	11	40	5	1,816	180	\$	180	\$	180	\$ 516	
Mocksville Cir.	1	780	50	32	13	7	7,000	1	1,000	1	1,000	1	1,000	
Rowan Circuit	1	135	22	4	23	5	5,500	5	5,500	1	50	27	50	
Farmington Cir.	1	788	25	75	7	6	9,750	1	350	1	350	1	350	
Concord Station	1	346	79	23	16	1	7,500	1	2,500	1	2,500	1	2,500	
Concord Circuit	1	464	179	37	16	5	4,450	1	800	1	800	1	800	
Mt. Pleasant Cir.	1	654	188	25	30	6	5,000	1	800	1	800	1	800	
Albemarle Cir.	3	950	2	170	66	70	5	6,000	1	600	1	600	1	600
Stanly Circuit	1	582	25	12	56	7	4,650	1	540	1	540	1	540	
Big Lick Mission	1	200	30	9	12	3	2,100	1	100	1	100	1	100	
Mt. Zion Station	1	304	44	6	19	1	3,000	1	500	1	500	1	500	
Enochville Cir.	1	360	22	3	27	4	3,000	1	500	1	500	1	500	
Total	12	6,598	3	878	307	337	56	\$ 69,786	8	\$ 7,090	8	230	\$ 1,307	

STATEVILLE DISTRICT.

Statesville Stat'n	348	.....	18	1	\$ 18,000	2	\$ 3,500	\$ 200	\$	1,200	1	1,200	
Statesville Cir.	800	200	50	40	7	6,400	1	1,000	1	1,000	1	1,000		
Mooresville Cir.	3	1011	.....	5	32	4	4,000	1	1,000	1	1,000	1	117
Iredell Circuit	1	700	.....	15	5	9	5,000	1	250	1	250	1	1,500
Rock Spring Cir.	1	1052	152	19	40	6	5,000	1	1,500	1	1,500	1	2,000	
Newton Circuit	1	548	105	14	39	8	6,400	1	1,000	1	1,000	1	9	
Alexander Cir.	2	965	125	42	58	7	6,100	1	600	1	600	1	1,100	
Caldwell Circuit	6	650	50	25	35	7	3,500	1	600	1	600	1	500	
Lenor Circuit	3	736	60	65	38	8	8,000	1	2,500	1	2,500	1	455	
Wilkes Circuit	2	386	17	7	9	8	3,200	1	25	1	25	1	93	
Roaring River Mission	.....	137	3	15	8	8	4	400	1	170	1	170	
Elkin and Jones- ville	.....	184	30	7	3	3,000	1	85	1	85	1	85	
Mt. Airy Station	1	164	4	1	1	1	2,500	1	1,000	1	1,000	1	27	
Mt. Airy Circuit	7	360	16	16	8	7	2,700	1	1,000	1	1,000	1	1,000	
Dobson Circuit	3	441	6	30	30	8	3,000	1	300	1	300	1	214	
Yadkinville Cir.	6	515	2	7	23	10	8	3,000	1	600	1	600	1	15
Catawba Circuit	1	752	41	8	50	5	2,400	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Total	36	9749	11	835	17	335	390	101	\$ 82,600	13	\$ 13,850	\$ 2,825	\$ 5,485	

SHELBY DISTRICT.

Shelby Station	194	24	2	2	2	1	\$ 6,000	1	\$ 1,500	\$ 7,500	\$ 25			
Shelby Circuit	1	570	68	21	8	6	4,000	1	1,000	1	1,000	1	53	
King's Mountain Circuit	.....	300	24	3	12	2	2,500	1	1,000	1	1,000	1	25
Double Shoals Ct	3	813	73	20	6	8	3,000	1	500	1	500	1	500	
Forest City Cir.	2	650	16	14	6	8	3,800	1	800	1	800	1	27	
Rutherfordton Ct	1	554	1	20	16	17	7	6,000	1	2,000	1	2,000	1	875
Columbus Miss'n	2	269	1	51	31	3	1,800	1	150	1	150	1	900	
Morganton Cir.	3	525	41	12	34	7	5,000	1	1,000	1	1,000	1	75	
Table Rock Cir.	1	617	9	11	35	7	4,000	1	600	1	600	1	21	
Hickory Station	1	150	40	26	1	1,000	1	600	1	600	1	600		
South Fork Cir.	4	715	30	13	43	8	5,650	1	1,000	1	1,000	1	167	
Dallas Circuit	.....	554	1	88	25	8	5,100	1	700	1	700	1	83
Gaston Circuit	1	402	1	47	3	12	5	3,300	1	700	1	400		
Lincoltn Cir.	1	524	.....	53	39	6	10,000	1	1,000	1	1,000	1	686
McClowell Circuit	2	600	48	10	30	8	8,000	1	1,000	1	1,000	1	1,000	
Mt. Island Stat'n	.....	53	1	7	7	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Happy Mome Ct.	9	473	85	35	33	6	3,850	1	30	1	126	1	126	
Antioch Mission	.....	171	.....	10	7	4	900	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total	30	8134	4	495	170	255	325	93	\$ 73,900	11	\$ 9,550	\$ 7,930	\$ 4,063	

TABLE OF MEMBERSHIPS, &c.—CONTINUED.

CHARLOTTE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	Local Preachers	No. of White Members.						No. of Colored Members.	Net Gain.	Net Loss.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Infants Baptized.	No. of Churches	Value of Churches.	No. Parsonages	Value of Parsonages.	Value of other Church Property.	Money expended on Churches and Parsonages.			
Charlotte— Tryon Street.....	300.....	64.....	14.....	1.....	\$.....	16,000.....	1.....	\$.....	4,000.....	\$.....	\$1,170.....										
Charlotte— Church Street... 2	107.....	7.....	2.....	6.....	1.....	2,200.....												70.....			
Charlotte Circuit.....	306.....	85.....	14.....	26.....	3.....	1,500.....													48.....		
Matthews Circuit.....	266.....	79.....	15.....	21.....	3.....	3,600.....															
Cleark Creek Cir. 3	539.....	1.....	32.....	8.....	42.....	3.....	2,400.....	1.....	500.....	100.....	75.....										
Pineville Circuit.....	338.....		14.....	4.....	18.....	4.....	10,000.....	1.....	800.....												
Pleasant Grove... 3	865.....	122.....	30.....	73.....	5.....	4,500.....	1.....	500.....	1.....	500.....	200.....										
Monroe Station.....	212.....		16.....	2.....	20.....	1.....	4,000.....	1.....	2,500.....		785.....										
Monroe Circuit... 2	630.....	100.....	63.....	6.....	8.....	4,100.....	1.....	550.....											136.....		
Wadesboro Sta....	181.....			5.....	4.....	3,000.....	1.....	2,000.....											115.....		
Wadesboro Cir.... 1	638.....	77.....	68.....	10.....	7.....	4,000.....	1.....	700.....											93.....		
Ansonville Cir....	522.....	2.....	56.....	29.....	15.....	9.....	4,750.....	1.....	700.....												
Lilesville Circuit.....	1.....	404.....	61.....	60.....	16.....	7.....	4,900.....	1.....	1,000.....										650.....		
Total.....	13.....	5,408.....	3.....	619.....	94.....	300.....	271.....	53.....	\$.....	64,950.....	10.....	\$.....	13,750.....	\$.....	100.....	\$.....	3,342.....				

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

Fayetteville Sta. 2	475.....	25.....	37.....	5.....	1.....	\$.....	8,800.....	1.....	2,500.....	\$.....	3,950.....	\$.....	136.....									
Campbellton Mis....	70.....	26.....	12.....	8.....	1.....		613.....												76.....			
Cumberland Cir. 1	560.....	45.....	26.....	11.....	5.....		5,400.....	1.....	700.....										364.....			
Lumberton Cir.... 2	465.....	25.....	13.....	6.....	5.....		4,900.....	1.....	1,200.....										87.....			
Robeson Circuit. 4	556.....	115.....	97.....	12.....	22.....	6.....	5,500.....	1.....	1,200.....										40.....			
Laurinburg Cir.... 2	457.....	29.....	9.....	30.....	3.....		4,000.....	1.....	750.....										25.....			
St. John Station.....	325.....		9.....	1.....	5.....	2.....	3,600.....	1.....	2,000.....													
Rockingham Sta. 2	385.....	65.....	18.....	15.....	1.....		6,000.....	1.....	1,500.....	1,200.....									25.....			
Ashpole Mission. 2	290.....	73.....	8.....	25.....	5.....		3,750.....													14.....		
Rockingham Cir. 3	674.....	36.....	24.....	24.....	7.....		5,045.....	1.....	700.....										317.....	43.....		
Cape Fear Cir.... 1	455.....			1.....	16.....	7.....	3,750.....												120.....	300.....		
Lillington Cir.... 1	328.....		15.....	9.....	12.....	4.....	1,600.....													175.....		
Carthage Circuit. 1	880.....	40.....	47.....	21.....	7.....		5,250.....													500.....		
Jonesboro Cir.... 1	364.....	53.....		34.....	3.....		5,200.....	1.....	800.....	2,500.....									287.....			
Manly Mission.....	261.....	51.....	12.....	9.....	4.....		2,124.....															
Total.....	20.....	6,545.....	115.....	589.....	259.....	243.....	61.....	\$.....	65,532.....	9.....	\$.....	11,350.....	\$.....	8,087.....	\$.....	2,097.....						

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

Wilmington— Front Street.....	324.....	7.....	13.....																			
Wilmington— Fifth Street.....	484.....	30.....	37.....	60.....	1.....	\$.....	4,000.....	1.....	1,500.....										1,017.....			
Topsail Circuit. 1	236.....	34.....	26.....	17.....	5.....		4,500.....	1.....	600.....	865.....	100.....											
Duplin Circuit.....	476.....	3.....	18.....	14.....	7.....	5.....	5,000.....	1.....	800.....										142.....			
Magnolia Circuit.....	398.....		67.....	51.....	42.....	7.....	6,000.....															
Clinton Circuit. 2	1,402.....	5.....	408.....	166.....	41.....	10.....	10,000.....	1.....	1,550.....										1,000.....			
Cokesbury Cir.... 3	639.....		15.....	24.....	18.....	5.....	3,950.....	1.....	600.....	300.....												
Bladen Circuit.... 1	533.....		83.....	66.....	4.....	6.....	3,000.....	1.....	800.....										163.....			
Elizabeth Circuit....	388.....		60.....	16.....	32.....	6.....	4,800.....	1.....	1,000.....										10.....			
Whiteville Cir.... 1	308.....		20.....	12.....	4.....	4.....	6,400.....												150.....	98.....		
Carver's Creek Ct....	425.....		125.....	30.....	25.....	6.....	2,000.....															
Waccamaw Cir.... 2	409.....	1.....	160.....	85.....	20.....	6.....	2,500.....												68.....			
Smithville Stat'n 1	230.....		71.....	16.....	10.....	1.....	1,200.....	1.....	600.....										30.....			
Brunswick Cir.... 1	738.....	1.....	130.....	75.....	30.....	9.....	4,000.....															
Onslow Circuit.....	445.....		37.....	33.....	33.....	3.....	2,500.....															
Total.....	12.....	7,435.....	10.....	1,265.....	651.....	323.....	74.....	\$.....	59,850.....	9.....	\$.....	13,450.....	\$.....	10,315.....	\$.....	6,828.....						

TABLE OF MEMBERSHIPS, &c.—CONTINUED.

NEW BERNE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	Local Preach'rs	No. of White Members.	No. of Colored Members.	Net Gain.	Net Loss.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Infants Baptized.	No. of Churches	Value of Churches.	No. Parsonages	Value of Parsonages.	Value of other Church Property.	Money Expended on Churches and Parsonages.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
New Berne Stat'n	1	430	1	16	11	9	1	1	10,500	1	2,100	1	639
Goldsboro Stat'n	302	4	2	6	1	1	20,000	2	7,500				
Wayne Circuit	1	460	27	45	5	5	6,300	1	800				200
Goldsboro Cir.	1	403	55	60	6	4	2,500						
Mt. Olive Circuit	1	493	30	15	11	7	6,100	1	1,200				1,978
Kinsion Station	1	218	28	17	10	1	7,000	1	2,000				1,900
Snow Hill Cir.	2	548	28	29	15	7½	7,000	1	1,000				200
LaGrange Cir.	432	21	28	2	5	2,500	1	500					325
Lenoir Mission	82	1	1	1	1	1	35						
Craven Circuit	1	275	3	13	8	4	2,400	1	600				30
Jones Circuit	2	427	32	36	11	5	3,400	1	900				
Morehead Stat'n	200	10	6	5	1	2,500							70
Beaufort Station	1	293	17	23	12	1	3,000						71
Carteret Circuit	1	356	36	35	5	4	3,400						200
Neuse Mission	1	125	21	16	2	3	1,350						39
Pamlico Circuit	350	1	75	50	7	7	3,200						40
Straits Circuit	2	196	10	4	36	2	800						75
Core Sound Miss.	88	5	4	1	2	600							50
Total	15	5,678	2	388	31	395	144	61½	\$ 82,585	10	\$ 16,600	\$ 250	\$ 5,823

WARRENTON DISTRICT.

Warrenton Cir.	1	309	2	16	3	4	3	*	3,500	1	\$ 700	\$ 800	
Warren Circuit	1	712	136	63	17	8	6,100						
Ridgeway Circuit	494	2	30	15	10	5	3,560	1	1,000			75	
Roanoke Circuit	2	449	17	3	5	5	7,900						
Weldon & Halifax	1	211	1	10	5	9	2	5,200				5	
Halifax Circuit	402	10	5	7	6	5,000	1	900					
Scotland Neck Mission	1	125	10	10	4	1	3,000						
Wilson Station	1	247	2	3	1	1	6,000					100	
Wilson Mission	1	609	1	113	81	1	11	2,900				534	
Nashville Cir.	1	350		14	1	7	3,500					761	
Edgecombe Cir.	1	274	60	55	7	4	7,500					1,005	
Total	10	4,182	6	402	2	257	65	56	\$ 53,200	3	\$ 2,600	\$ 100	\$ 3,180

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

Tarboro & Bethel	2	501	70	64	7	2	\$	6,500	1	\$ 2,000	\$	222	
South Edgecombe		278		7	15	2	2	3,500				109	
Williamston Cir.	3	293	30	42	10	6	4,500	1	1,200			750	
Greenville Stat'n	1	131	29	11	12	1	3,000	1	1,500			187	
Pitt Mission	2	332	2	53	53	8	2,450						
Swift Creek Miss.	1	206		15	9	3	600					100	
Aurora Circuit	2	349	45	20	11	4	2,000						
Washington Sta.	208		3		9	1	8,000	1	1,400			63	
Bath Circuit	1	341	32	29	20	4	3,000						
Plymouth Stat'n	1	137	1	13	7	10	1	4,150					
Columbia Circuit		346		4	16	5	3,500	1	600				
Mattamuskeet Ct.	1	402	15	16	18	3	5,600	1	1,800			75	
Fairfield Station		74	1	9	2	3	6,000	1	600			65	
Hatteras Mission	3	577	1		45	4	1,400						
Portsmouth and Ocracoke		60		2	2	2	1,000					300	
Swan Quarter Ct.		256	21	17	5	3	3,000					160	
Total	17	4,491	5	320	24	289	169	50	\$ 58,200	7	\$ 9,100	\$ 460	\$ 2,031

TABLE OF MEMBERSHIPS, &c.—CONTINUED.

TRINITY COLLEGE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	Local Preach'r's	No. of White Members.				No. of Colored Members.				Net Gain.	Net Loss.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Infants Baptized.	No. of Churches.	Value of Churches.	No. of Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Value of other Church Property.	Money Expended on Churches and Parsonages
		3	948	62	25	13	12	6,700	1										
Randolph Circuit	3	948	62	25	13	12	6,700	1	2,000										\$1,500
Thomasville and High Point	358	37	20	15	2		4,800												
Davidson Circuit	1	845	55	50	26	10	6,500	1	2,000										87
Lexington Stat'n	141	7	2	5	1		4,500												192
Abbott's Creek Mission	105	1	1				2		800										
Randleman Sta.	316			8	4	2	7,000	1	2,000										
Franklinville Cir.	1	311	60	17		6	3,000												
Deep River Cir.	4	816	1	20	25	1	11		3,700										
Uwharrie Circuit	1	411	50	25	28	4	2,500	1	250										
Montgomery Cir.	517	22	17	1	10		5,750												
Pekin Circuit	612	12	70	49	9	7	2,000												400
Mt. Gilead Cir.	1	650	75	44	62	7	5,000	1	1,000										660
Jackson's Hill Ct.	494	51	39	16	7		1,000												225
Total	11	6,524	14	487	23	321	180	81	\$ 53,250	5	\$ 5,950	\$ 50,000	\$ 3,064						

RECAPITULATION.

NAME OF DISTRICT.	Local Preach'r's	No. of White Members.				No. of Colored Members.				Net Gain.	Net Loss.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Infants Baptized.	No. of Churches.	Value of Churches.	No. Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Value of other Church Property.	Money Expended on Churches and Parsonages
		18	6001	8	640	108	502	64	66										
Raleigh	18	5510	15	369	75	356	78	61	78,950	6	10,600		1,300	6,533					
Durham	14	6618	12	606	516	91	70		94,750	5		7,175		1,325	17,094				
Greensboro	21	6598	3	878	307	337	56		69,766	8		7,090		230	1,307				
Salisbury	12	9749	11	835	17	335	390	101	82,600	13		13,850		2,825	5,485				
Statesville	36	8134	4	495	170	254	325	93	73,900	11		9,550		7,930	4,063				
Shelby	30	5408	3	619	94	300	271	53	64,950	10		13,750		100	3,342				
Charlotte	13	6545	115	589	29	243	61		65,532	9		11,350		8,087	2,097				
Fayetteville	20	7435	10	1265	651	323	74		59,850	9		13,450		10,315	6,828				
Wilmington	12	5678	2	398	31	361	146	57	85,735	10		16,400		250	5,823				
New Berne	15	4182	6	402	2	257	65	56	53,200	3		2,600		100	3,080				
Warrenton	10	4491	5	320	24	289	169	50	58,200	7		9,100		460	2,031				
Washington	17	6524	14	487	23	321	180	81	53,250	5		5,950		50,000	3,064				
Trinity College	11																		
Total	229	82873	208	7903	476	4709	2682	879	\$ 911,323	104	\$ 133,765	\$ 87,256		4,333	\$ 8,158				
Total last year	240	77491	187	3117	2466	857	984,290	102	140,910		1,325	17,094	71,757			
Increase	5382	28	1592	116	22	2	7,145	2,825	5,485	2,922			
Decrease	11	72,967	7,145	2,922						

MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION, NORTH
CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE, 1886.

RALEIGH DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	FOREIGN MISSIONS		DOMESTIC MISSIONS		CHURCH EXTENSI'N		EDUCA- TION.	BIBLE CAUSE.	OTHER COLLEC- TIONS.
	Ass'd	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.			
Raleigh—									
Edenton Street.....	\$270	\$270	\$ 85	\$ 85	\$ 75	\$ 75	\$ 40	\$12 36	\$ 57 32
Raleigh—									
Person Street.....	75	40	25	25	15	12	5 70	.....	.....
Brooklyn and									
Macedonia Miss... ..	10	10	8	8	7	7	.....	.....	.....
Cary Circuit.....	120	74	48	30	40	21	.....	.....	.....
Rolesville Circuit....	150	50	55	20	40	17	10	.....	.....
Smithfield Circ. it...	120	50	55	30	40	20	10	3 20	85
Clayton Circuit.....	75	20	25	15	15	4	2	.....	.....
Tar River Circuit.....	275	248	85	72	58	48	20	.....	69
Youngsville Circuit	40	25	25	13	15	3	5	.....	.....
Louisburg Station....	90	63	28	35	20	15	10	.....	17 93
Oxford Station.....	110	77	45	38	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oxford Circuit.....	125	125	45	45	30	30	20	.....	.....
Henderson Station.. ..	110	110	45	45	26	26	15	.....	.....
Buckhorn Circuit....	80	40	40	20	30	7	.....	.....	.....
Earpsboro Mission....	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	.....	.....
Newton Grove Miss	10	10	5	5	7	7	7	.....	.....
• Total	1485 00	1217 00	5624 00	\$491 00	\$423 00	\$297 00	\$ 149 70	\$15 56	\$ 229 25

DURHAM DISTRICT.

Durham Station.....	\$196	\$198	\$ 71	\$ 74	\$ 56	\$ 56	\$ 125	.....	\$ 25
Durham Circuit.....	122	100	45	31	32	15	.....	.....	.....
West and East End									
Mission.....		12	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hillsboro Circuit....	91	75	33 50	25	25	20	10	.....	.....
Chapel Hill.....	69	69	25	25	19	9	10	.....	.....
Person Circuit.....	160	81	66	31	40	10	.....	.....	.....
Leasburg Circuit....	174	125	63	60	48	30	60	.....	20
Alamance Circuit....	91	91	33	33	25	20	.....	.....	.....
Haw River Circuit.. ..	139	140	50	51 75	37	37	25	.....	.....
Pittsboro Circuit....	139	114	50	41	37	27 50	.....	.....	.....
Granville Circuit....	119	84	46	38	34	18	22	.....	.....
Total.....	1300 00	1077 00	\$491 50	\$424 75	\$353 00	\$242 50	\$ 252 00	.....	\$ 45 00

GREENSBORO DISTRICT.

Greensboro Station	\$192	\$192	\$ 74	\$ 74	\$ 50	\$ 50	.....	.....	215
Guilford Circuit....	96	96	37	20	23	23	13	.....	2 50
East Guilford Cir....	57	28	22	22	17	17	11	.....	.....
Pleasant Garden Cir...	57	37	22	15	17	11	11	.....	.....
Winston Station.....	242	242	87	87	60	60	35	.....	221 40
Forsyth Circuit.....	90	81	35	31	25	22	13	.....	.....
Stokes Circuit.....	96	52	37	26	27	15	5	.....	.....
Madison Circuit....	100	100	46	46	29	29	14	30	4
Rufin Circuit.....	96	84	37	33	26	21	14	.....	4
Reidsville Station....	122	109	46	28	28	26	18	8	120
Yanceyville Circuit....	150	75	50	23	36	18	19	.....	.....
Kernersville Cir....	57	24	22	18	17	6	5	.....	.....
Total.....	1355 00	1120 00	\$515 00	\$423 00	\$355 00	\$298 00	158 00	38 00	566 90

MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION, &c.—CONTINUED.

SALISBURY DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	FOREIGN MISSIONS		DOMESTIC MISSIONS		CHURCH EXTENSI'N		EDUCA- TION.	BIBLE CAUSE.	OTHER COLLEC- TIONS.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.			
Salisbury Station....	\$135	\$ 60	\$ 49	\$ 28	\$ 33	\$ 13	12	3 56	15 90
Salisbury Circuit....	93	69	30	20	22	14	3 57	40	.....
Mocksville Circuit....	130	52	48	24	30	8	10 20	.....	.....
Rowan Circuit.....	68	38	25	14	18	9	2 40	.....	.....
Farmington Circuit	153	138	46	16	30	5	.....	.....	.....
Concord Station.....	108	130	38	40	25	25	16	.....	.....
Concord Circuit.....	82	84	30	31	21	21	11	.....	20
Mount Pleasant Cir.	120	131	43	45	29	29	16	.....	.....
Albemarle Circuit....	140	145	51	56	32	34	18	.....	44
Stanly Circuit.....	80	42	30	20	20	6	10	4	.....
Big Lick Mission.....	.....	15	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mt. Zion Station....	75	55	22	22	20	20	.....	.....	.....
Enochsville Circuit	40	45	20	15	5	4	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	1224 00	\$989 00	\$447 00	\$346 00	\$285 00	\$188 00	99 17	47 56	79 90

STATESVILLE DISTRICT.

Statesville Station....	\$ 84	\$ 84	\$ 33	\$ 32	\$ 20	\$ 12	.....	20	.....
Statesville Circuit....	81	50	31	26	22	10	.....	.....	.....
Mooresville Circuit.	145	58	52	18	28	6	.....	.....	.....
Iredell Circuit.....	145	85	42	25	28	15	.....	.....	.....
Rock Spring Cir....	145	110	52	40	28	20	6 25	.....	.....
Newton Circuit.....	65	65	24	24	16	16	.....	.....	.....
Catawba Circuit.....	65	36	24	17	16	7	.....	.....	.....
Alexander Circuit...	111	55	32	20	23	12	.....	.....	.....
Caldwell Circuit.....	80	53	30	11	18	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lenoir Circuit.....	125	97	40	35	23	18	4	.....	.....
Wilkes Circuit.....	65	23	25	18	18	5	.....	.....	.....
Roaring River Miss.	.....	2	.....	2	.....	1	4 50	.....	.....
Elkin & Jonesville....	75	15	30	11	18	3	.....	.....	.....
Mt. Airy Station....	70	40	30	12	28	6	.....	.....	30
Mt. Airy Circuit.....	50	12	25	8	16	1	.....	.....	.....
Dobson Circuit.....	40	5	21	2	16	2	.....	.....	.....
Yadkinville Circuit	60	4	25	2	18	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	1406 00	\$794 00	\$315 00	\$303 00	\$336 00	\$134 00	14 75	20 00	30 00

SHELBY DISTRICT.

Shelby Station.....	\$ 75	\$ 75	\$ 27	\$ 27	\$ 17	\$ 17	12	.....	.....
Shelby Circuit.....	85	48	35	15	22	10	4	4	.....
King's Mt. Circuit....	70	35	30	15	24	10	5 50	.....	.....
Dallas Circuit.....	110	80	40	20	25	10	.....	.....	.....
Gaston Circuit.....	100	32	35	22	25	8	.....	.....	.....
Mt. Island Station...	13	13	5	5	3	3	2	.....	.....
Lincolnton Circuit..	100	17	45	20	25	.....	.....	.....	.....
South Fork Circuit...	110	110	48	48	25	25	16 50	.....	33
Hickory Station....	70	30	27	13	15	8	.....	1	.....
Happy Home Cir....	60	28	22	14	15	5	3 60	.....	2
Morganton Circuit...	100	65	40	20	23	12	10	.....	.....
Table Rock Circuit...	100	72	30	22	23	17	6	.....	.....
McDowell Circuit....	72	53	45	15	17	5	5	.....	.....
Double Shoals Cir....	100	33	40	19	25	7	15 50	5	.....
Forest City Circuit...	70	25	25	14	15	7	.....	.....	.....
Rutherfordton Cir....	100	67	30	20	23	11	.....	.....	15
Antioch Mission.....	12	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Columbus Mission....	25	16	7	7	5	5	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	1372 00	\$803 00	\$531 00	\$316 00	\$327 00	\$160 00	80 10	9 00	51 00

MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION, &c.—CONTINUED.

CHARLOTTE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	FOREIGN MISSIONS		DOMESTIC MISSIONS		CHURCH EXTENSI'N		EDUCA-TION.	BIBLE CAUSE.	OTHER COLLEC-TIONS.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.			
Charlotte— Tryon Street.....	\$260	\$163	\$ 95	\$ 64	\$ 65	\$ 2	.....	.....	.....
Charlotte— Church Street.....	40	35	10	6	6	3	.....	.....	.....
Charlotte Circuit.....	40	18	10	2	11	25	4 35	.....	.....
Matthews Circuit....	90	48	20	13	10	5	6	.....	18
Clear Creek Circuit.	100	45	35	17	25	10	15	.....	.....
Pineville Circuit....	120	49	50	20	30	5	5	12	7
Pleasant Grove Cir.	100	25	35	8	20	3	10 75	18	.....
Monroe Station.....	160	100	55	40	38	6	20	15	.....
Monroe Circuit.....	100	25	25	16	18	3	.....	18	.....
Wadesboro Station..	110	31	45	18	25	5	10 39	.....	.....
Wadesboro Circuit..	120	120	50	34	30	12	.....	.....	5
Ansonville Circuit..	120	120	50	30	30	4	4 25	.....	15
Lilesville Circuit....	129	100	45	44	25	15	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	1480 00	\$879 00	\$525 00	\$322 00	\$333 00	\$ 92 25	75 65	63 00	45 00

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

Fayetteville Stat'n..	\$195	\$195	\$ 60	\$ 65	\$ 50	\$ 55	25	.....	90
Campbellton Miss...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cumberland Circuit	80	45	35	23	24	14	.....	.....	6 75
Linberton Circuit..	130	65	50	25	33	10	15	.....	.....
Robeson Circuit.....	150	65	50	25	38	10	10	.....	.....
Ashpole Mission.....	10	10	5	5	3	3	5	.....	7
Laurinburg Circuit.	145	69	50	50	39	39	22	.....	117
St. John's Station...	115	88	50	40	39	23	.....	.....	2 50
Rockingham Cir.....	70	.....	25	.....	8	5	.....	.....	.....
Rockingham Stat'n	80	48	35	20	20	1	20	.....	.....
Manly Mission.....	10	15	5	7	3	4	.....	.....	.....
Carthage Circuit.....	120	100	40	40	30	30	20	.....	.....
Jonesboro Circuit....	125	53	50	30	35	20	20	.....	14
Cape Fear Circuit....	70	70	30	7	15	10	15	.....	.....
Lillington Circuit....	30	10	14	6	10	.....	4	.....	.....
Total.....	1290 00	\$903 00	\$179 00	\$368 00	\$344 00	\$227 00	161 00	.....	237 25

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

Wilmington— Front Street.....	\$200	\$ 65	\$ 75	\$ 45	\$ 35	\$ 5	.....	.....	.....
Wilmington— Fifth Street.....	85	85	27	27	27	27	11	.....	.....
Tonsail Circuit.....	119	20	36	20	22	.....	.....	.....	.....
Duplin Circuit.....	119	31	55	10	25	2	.....	.....	43
Magnolia Circuit....	87	.....	25	11	15	.....	4 90	.....	.....
Clinton Circuit.....	140	140	50	40	35	35	7	.....	14
Cokesbury Circuit...	123	38	46	14	25	7	15	.....	.....
Bladen Circuit.....	128	40	46	24	25	7	12 47	.....	.....
Elizabeth Circuit....	40	.....	25	.....	9	9	10	.....	.....
Whiteville Circuit...	51	27	25	15	15	5	9	.....	.....
Carver's Creek Cir...	50	15	20	4	10	3	.....	.....	.....
Waccamaw Circuit...	30	6	10	2	10	1	.....	.....	.....
Smithville Station..	56	56	20	20	15	15	10	.....	.....
Brunswick Circuit...	76	28	25	17	15	6	9	13	.....
Onslow Circuit.....	75	23	25	8	15	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	1339 00	\$614 00	\$485 00	\$282 00	\$289 00	\$122 00	88 37	13 00	87 00

MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION, &c.—CONTINUED.

NEW BERNE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	FOREIGN MISSIONS		DOMESTIC MISSIONS		CHURCH EXT'N		EDUCA- TION.	BIBLE CAUS.	OTHER COLLEC- TIONS.
	Ass'd	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.			
New Berne Station	\$203	\$203	\$ 76	\$ 76	\$ 42	\$ 48	30	.....	23
Goldsboro Station	206	185	76	76	48	20	30	28	.....
Goldsboro Circuit	70	70	25	13	16	8	10	.....	.....
Wayne Circuit	126	82	47	47	30	15	19	.....	27
Mt. Olive Circuit	118	42	45	16	28	10	17	.....	26
Kinston Station	118	40	45	35	28	.....	7	.....	.....
Snow Hill Circuit	136	66	51	30	32	9	20	.....	135
LaGrange Circuit	85	30	32	12	20	9	12	.....	.....
Lenoir Circuit	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Craven Circuit	85	34	32	15	22	2	12	.....	2
Jones Circuit	118	48	45	16	28	10	8	50	.....
Morehead Station	76	26	28	15	18	6	9	.....	.....
Beaufort Station	18	90	45	45	28	10	4	.....	7
Carteret Circuit	70	50	25	24	16	13	10	.....	.....
Neuse Mission	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Paintico Circuit	85	4	32	3	20	3	12	.....	.....
Straits Circuit	42	6	16	4	10	2	6	.....	.....
Core Sound Mission	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	1656 00	976 00	\$620 00	\$427 00	\$392 00	\$165 00	206 00	28 50	220 00

WARRENTON DISTRICT.

Warrenton Circuit	150	\$ 6	\$ 60	.....	\$ 5	.....	.....	.....	.....
Warren Circuit	150	75	56	24	35	18	20	18	.....
Ridgeway Circuit	150	72	56	50	35	10	22	15	.....
Roanoke Circuit	100	70	37	28	23	16	10	70	.....
Weldon and Halifax Station	89	64	31	34	21	20	12	30	18 50
Scotland Neck Miss	58	.....	28	2	13	.....	5	.....	.....
Halifax Circuit	100	20	37	10	35	3	.....	.....	.....
Wilson Station	200	83	75	75	47	20	1	35	51 43
Wilson Mission	84	10	31	8	19	2	.....	.....	.....
Nashville Circuit	34	5	31	.....	19	.....	.....	.....	.....
Edgecombe Circuit	130	60	49	24	30	3	.....	.....	.....
Total	1295 00	\$465 00	\$494 00	\$255 00	\$282 00	\$ 92 00	81 35	33 00	69 93

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

Washington Station	\$130	\$ 43	\$ 47	34	28	7	10	.....	.....
Tarboro and Bethel Station	130	105	48	37	38	16	17	.....	28
So. Edgecombe Cir.	130	50	49	35	39	16	15	.....	5
Williamston Cir.	100	20	39	10	37	.....	14	7	300
Greenville Station	100	75	39	39	39	22	28	.....	6
Pitt Mission	50	1	14	5	15	2	4	4	.....
Swift Creek Missi'n	13	3	9	2	10	.....	2	.....	.....
Aurora Circuit	65	35	25	10	25	10	9	.....	.....
Bath Circuit	65	15	25	5	25	1	10	.....	3
Plymouth Station	85	50	33	33	30	10	2	25	.....
Columbia Station	100	12	40	10	30	4	13	25	.....
Mattamuskeet Cir.	115	42	45	18	35	4	8	91	.....
Fairfield Station	60	40	20	10	20	5	9	.....	.....
Swan Quarter Cir.	65	22	22	12	20	5	7	75	.....
Hatteras Mission	20	20	10	10	6	6	3	.....	.....
Portsmouth and Ocracoke	9	70	5	5	2	.....	1	.....	4
Total	1237 00	\$533 70	\$470 00	\$275 00	\$399 00	\$108 00	\$ 154 16	\$11 00	\$ 346 00

MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION, &c.—CONTINUED.

TRINITY COLLEGE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	FOREIGN MISSIONS		DOMESTIC MISSIONS		CHURCH EXTENSI'N		EDUCA- TION.	BIBLE CAUSE.	OTHER COLLEC- TIONS.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.			
Randolph Circuit...	\$126	\$ 84	\$ 50	\$ 30	\$ 30	\$ 20	23	12	75
Thomasville and High Point	83	45	31	20	17	10	12	12	.....
Davidson Circuit....	130	91	30	30	25	15	17	.....	.....
Lexington Station...	68	68	25	25	13	10	9	.....	.....
Abbott's Creek Miss...	10	3	4	.....	4	.....	2	.....	.....
Randleman Station...	110	110	40	40	24	24	191	.....	.....
Franklinsville Cir...	66	45	20	13	12	8	10	.....	.....
Deep River Circuit...	121	90	45	30	24	15	16	.....	.....
Uwharrie Circuit....	75	75	30	26	15	12	9	.....	.....
Jackson Hill Cir....	60	55	20	16	11	9	8	.....	.....
Montgomery Cir....	60	60	25	25	12	6	10	6	.....
Pekin Circuit.....	80	80	30	20	16	10	11	.....	.....
Mt. Gilead Circuit...	135	105	50	30	27	20	18	.....	14 00
Total	1124 00	\$911 00	\$100 00	\$305 00	\$230 00	\$159 00	\$ 336 00	\$18 00	\$ 89 00

RECAPITULATION.

DISTRICTS.	FOREIGN MISSIONS.		DOMESTIC MISSIONS.		CHURCH EXTENSION.		EDUCA- TION.	BIBLE CAUSE.	OTHER COLLEC- TIONS.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.			
Raleigh.....	\$1465	\$1217	\$ 624	\$ 491	\$ 423	\$ 297	\$ 149 70	\$15 56	\$ 229 25
Durham.....	1300	1077	494 50	424 75	353	242 50	252	.....	45
Greensboro.....	1355	1120	515	423	357	298	158	38	566 90
Salisbury.....	1224	989	447	346	285	188	99 17	47 56	79 90
Statesville.....	1406	794	515	303	336	134	14 75	20	30
Shelby.....	1372	803	531	316	327	160	80 10	9	51
Charlotte.....	1480	879	525	332	333	92 25	75 65	63	45
Fayetteville.....	1290	903	479	368	344	227	161	.....	237 25
Wilmington.....	1339	614	485	282	289	122	88 37	13	87
New Berne.....	1656	976	620	427	392	165	206	28 50	220
Warrenton.....	1295	465	494	255	282	92	81 35	33	69 93
Washington...	1237	533 70	470	275	399	108	154 16	11	346
Trinity Coll'ge	1124	911	400	305	230	159	336	18	89
Total.....	17543 00	11281 70	\$6599 50	\$4547 75	\$4350 00	\$2284 75	\$1856 25	\$296 62	\$2096 23
Total last year	10975 13	.....	4555 10	.....	2101 36	3160 38	.....	.....	.....
Increase.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	183 39	.....	.....	.....
Decrease.....	.....	306 57	.....	7 36	.....	.....	1304 13	.....	.....

SUNDAY SCHOOL TABLE, NORTH CAROLINA
ANNUAL CONFERENCE, 1886.

RALEIGH DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars.	Money Expended for Sunday-school Literature	Money Com- tributed for Missions.	Other Objects.
	No. of Officers and Teachers.					
Raleigh—Edenton St. Station....	1	38	375 \$	43 20 \$	.....	.....
Raleigh—Person St. Station.....	1	21	168	116 84	.....	.....
Brooklyn and Macedonia Miss...	1	23	200	46 00	.....	.....
Cary Circuit.....	3	19	132	37 53	.....	.....
Rolesville Circuit.....	5	27	211	18 50	.....	.....
Smithfield Circuit.....	5	43	310	100 00	.....	.....
Clayton Circuit.....	6	36	340	5 00	.....	.....
Tar River Circuit.....	9	64	510	132 00	.....	.....
Youngsville Circuit.....	6	26	250	10 00	.....	.....
Louisburg Station.....	2	23	127	26 89	12 25	.....
Oxford Station.....	1	20	249	50 00	.....	.....
Oxford Circuit.....	7	31	357	28 94	.....	.....
Henderson Station.....	1	16	123	20 00	15 94	.....
Buckhorn Circuit.....	6	25	325	24 00	7 00	.....
Earpsboro Mission.....	4	30	250	10 00	.....	.....
Newton Grove Mission.....	5	25	350	25 00	.....	.....
Total	63	467	4,268 \$	703 90 \$	33 19	.....

DURHAM DISTRICT.

Durham Station.....	1	38	267 \$	400 00 \$	74 36	.....
Durham Circuit.....	8	50	375	90 00	.....	.....
West and East End Mission.....	2	51	411	281 75	.....	.....
Hillsboro Circuit.....	5	29	312	68 25	14 00	.....
Chapel Hill.....	2	17	130	37 59	.....	.....
Person Circuit.....	9	38	336	25 00	.....	.....
Leasburg Circuit.....	8	61	394	88 16	.....	.....
Alamance Circuit.....	5	25	285	25 00	.....	.....
Haw River Circuit.....	6	66	531	233 08	.....	.....
Pittsboro Circuit.....	10	55	535	60 00	.....	.....
Granville Circuit.....	5	31	274	21 25	.....	.....
Total	61	461	3,850 \$	1,329 99 \$	88 6	.....

GREENSBORO DISTRICT.

Greensboro Station.....	3	50	488 \$	451 00 \$	41 00 \$	.....
Guilford Circuit.....	8	43	361	11 00	.....	.....
East Guilford Circuit.....	3	28	235	32 15	.....	.....
Pleasant Garden Circuit.....	5	17	225	5 00	.....	.....
Winston Station.....	3	46	522	300 00	.....	150 00
Forsyth Circuit.....	6	68	517	50 00	.....	.....
Stokes Circuit.....	6	35	235	10 00	.....	.....
Madison Circuit.....	10	65	452	34 17	.....	.....
Ruffin Circuit.....	5	30	230	16 00	.....	.....
Reidsville Circuit.....	1	24	120	73 91	30 19	.....
Yanceyville Circuit.....	9	84	377	43 72	.....	.....
Kernersville Circuit.....	4	30	309	35 00	.....	.....
Total	63	520	4,071 \$	1,061 96 \$	71 19	\$ 150 00

SUNDAY SCHOOL TABLE. &c.—CONTINUED.

SALISBURY DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars.	Money Ex- pended for Sunday- school Literature	Money Con- tributed for Missions.	Other Objectis.
Salisbury Station	1	22	134	\$ 48 46	3 80	.....
Salisbury Circuit.....	7	45	525	7 19	2 05	.....
Mocksville Circuit.....	7	45	375	20 00	23 68	.....
Rowan Circuit	5	49	365	17 98	13 09	.....
Farmington Circuit.....	7	43	494	70 00	5 59	.....
Concord Station.....	12	38	390	60 90	61 00	154 73
Concord Circuit.....	4	32	198	23 25	.....	.....
Mount Pleasant Circuit.....	6	68	473	8 47	60 48	.....
Albemarle Circuit.....	9	43	690	115 00	.....	.....
Stanly Circuit.....	7	42	450	10 00	.....	.....
Big Lick Mission.....	2	8	130	2 60	.....	.....
Mt. Zion Station.....	1	19	145	33 51	.....	.....
Enochsville Circuit.....	4	20	210	31 69	.....	.....
Total	62	474	4,579	\$ 528 03	\$ 169 60	\$ 154 73

STATESVILLE DISTRICT.

Statesville Station.....	1	19	150	\$ 40 00	\$ 35 00	.....
Statesville Circuit.....	6	70	375	20 00	.....	.....
Mooresville Circuit.....	4	38	362	76 75	.....	.....
Iredell Circuit.....	8	53	401	16 00	.....	.....
Rock Spring Circuit.....	10	57	554	50 81	.....	.....
Newton Circuit.....	7	37	355	28 59	.....	.....
Catawba Circuit.....	5	20	226	.....	.....	.....
Alexander Circuit.....	7	65	550	.....	.....	.....
Caldwell Circuit.....	6	24	350	6 00	.....	.....
Lenoir Circuit.....	8	54	441	50 00	.....	.....
Wilkes Circuit.....	5	17	156	3 00	.....	.....
Roaring River Mission.....	2	6	45	.....	.....	.....
Elkin and Jonesville.....	3	16	125	6 00	.....	.....
Mt. Airy Station.....	1	11	114	40 63	.....	.....
Mt. Airy Circuit.....	5	20	175	12 00	.....	.....
Dobson Circuit.....	3	20	250	2 50	.....	.....
Yadkinville Circuit.....	2	35	300	10 00	.....	.....
Total	94	562	4,929	\$ 362 28	\$ 35 00	.....

SHELBY DISTRICT.

Shelby Station	1	16	112	\$ 55 69	\$ 6 77	.....
Shelby Circuit.....	6	50	360	15 00	.....	.....
King's Mountain Circuit.....	2	22	175	65 56	.....	.....
Dallas Circuit.....	7	35	300	25 00	.....	.....
Gaston Circuit.....	5	30	250	10 00	.....	.....
Mountain Island Station.....	1	10	90	.....	.....	.....
Lincolnton Circuit.....	7	40	240	.....	.....	.....
South Fork Circuit.....	9	50	674	38 50	.....	.....
Hickory Station.....	1	14	114	40 00	16 00	.....
Happy Home Circuit.....	7	48	433	27 52	3 05	.....
Morganton Circuit.....	6	48	325	40 00	.....	.....
Table Rock Circuit.....	7	40	320	25 30	.....	.....
McDowell Circuit.....	7	35	350	40 00	.....	.....
Double Shoals Circuit.....	6	45	450	12 00	.....	.....
Forest City Circuit.....	5	25	200	1 00	.....	.....
Rutherfordton Circuit.....	7	32	315	27 45	.....	.....
Antioch Mission.....	3	15	79	6 88	.....	.....
Columbus Mission.....	3	12	150	.....	.....	.....
Total	90	567	4,937	\$ 429 90	\$ 25 82	.....

SUNDAY SCHOOL TABLE, &c.—CONTINUED.

CHARLOTTE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars.	Money Expended for Sunday-school Literature	Money Contributed for Missions.	Other Objects.
Charlotte—Tryon St. Station	1	26	22 ⁴⁸	205 00	163 00	\$.....
Charlotte—Church St. Station	1	8	140	50 00	10 00	.....
Charlotte Circuit	3	14	100	20 00	.....	.....
Mat hews Circuit	2	19	188	23 00	.....	.....
Clear Creek Circuit	3	15	135	35 00	.....	.....
Pineville Circuit	5	25	250	28 00	25 00	.....
Pleasant Grove Circuit	7	68	580	75 00	.....	.....
Monroe Station	1	21	170	53 55	.....	.....
Monroe Circuit	8	59	459	33 07	.....	.....
Wadesboro Station	1	14	115	39 00	.....	.....
Wadesboro Circuit	8	65	449	35 00	.....	.....
Ansonville Circuit	9	49	405	55 90	.....	.....
Lilesville Circuit	7	30	350	1 25	6 00	.....
Total	56	413	3,569	\$ 653 77	\$ 204 30	\$.....

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

Fayetteville Station	1	34	150	\$ 38 21	\$.....	\$.....
Campbellton Mission	1	7	43	3 80	.....	.....
Cumberland Circuit	5	38	300	16 00	.....	.....
Lumberton Circuit	4	35	270	75 00	.....	.....
Roheson Circuit	7	35	375	35 00	.....	.....
Ashpole Mission	5	18	190	15 85	.....	.....
Laurinburg Circuit	2	16	170	83 04	.....	.....
St. John's Station	2	13	175	25 00	.....	.....
Rockingham Station	4	39	291	105 00	.....	.....
Rockingham Circuit	7	33	376	33 20	.....	.....
Manly Mission	6	25	237	23 67	.....	.....
Carthage Circuit	5	45	306	20 00	.....	19 00
Jonesboro Circuit	3	25	155	63 65	.....	.....
Cape Fear Circuit	6	58	340	40 00	.....	.....
Lillington Circuit	7	30	200	8 00	.....	.....
Total	65	441	3,578	\$ 585 42	\$.....	\$ 19 00

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

Wilmington—Front St. Station	1	26	200	\$ 150 00	\$.....	\$.....
Wilmington—Fifth St. Station	2	26	220	\$ 179 79	\$ 26 00	.....
Topsail Circuit	7	32	298	22 00	.....	.....
Duplin Circuit	5	30	260	55 25	.....	.....
Magnolia Circuit	5	21	250	18 00	.....	.....
Clinton Circuit	13	83	801	86 87	\$ 19 10	.....
Cokesbury Circuit	5	46	429	16 94	.....	.....
Bladen Circuit	8	52	330	35 00	.....	.....
Elizabeth Circuit	5	12	125	15 00	.....	.....
Whiteville Circuit	7	50	279	12 00	\$ 12 50	\$ 31 13
Carver's Creek Circuit	4	12	125	30 00	.....	.....
Waccamaw Circuit	6	36	370	50 00	.....	.....
Smithville Station	1	12	150	13 35	.....	.....
Brunswick Circuit	10	40	330	10 00	.....	.....
Onslow Circuit	4	21	152	14 00	.....	.....
Total	83	499	4,319	\$ 708 20	\$ 57 60	\$ 31 13

SUNDAY SCHOOL TABLE, &c.—CONTINUED.

NEW BERNE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars.	Money Expended for Sunday-school Literature	Money Contributed for Missions.	Other Objects.
New Berne Station.....	1	33	290 ⁴⁹	123 00	35 00	\$.....
Goldsboro Station.....	1	18	165	125 00		
Goldsboro Circuit.....	4	17	235	16 00		
Wayne Circuit.....	5	50	300	25 00		
Mt. Olive Circuit.....	7	39	350	78 84		
Kinston Station.....	1	18	120	100 00	9 00	
Snow Hill Circuit.....	3	30	225	50 00		
LaGrange Circuit.....	7	43	325	100 00		
Lenoir Mission.....	1	3	15			
Craven Circuit.....	5	17	150			
Jones Circuit.....	5	2	166			
Morehead Station.....	1	14	106	30 00	20 00	
Beaufort Station.....	1	26	175	42 61	14 49	193 00
Carteret Circuit.....	9	91	435	111 35		
Neuse Mission.....	2	14	76	16 00		
Painlico Circuit.....	9	80	225	24 00		
Straits Circuit.....	2	21	110			
Core Sound Mission.....	3	25	119			
Total	67	568	3,581	\$ 841 80	\$ 78 49	\$ 193 00

WARRENTON DISTRICT.

Warrenton Circuit.....	3	29	123	\$ 20 00	\$.....	\$.....
Warren Circuit.....	8	48	476	31 00	19 00	
Ridgeway Circuit.....	5	25	225	20 00	10 00	
Roanoke Circuit.....	4	46	180	20 00		
Weldon and Halifax Station.....	3	22	115	63 05	27 15	
Halifax Circuit.....	5	25	212	20 00		
Scotland Neck Mission.....	3	12	115	25 00		
Wilson Station.....	1	21	160	191 00	12 50	
Wilson Mission.....	13	52	733	65 00	2 00	
Nashville Circuit.....	4	19	125		2 75	
Edgecombe Circuit.....	3	24	216	75 00		
Total	52	323	2,680	\$ 530 05	\$ 73 40	\$.....

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

Washington Station.....	1	16	104 ⁴⁹	\$ 45 00	\$ 18 25	\$.....
Tarboro and Bethel Station.....	3	27	127	115 80		
South Edgecombe Circuit.....	3	16	112	19 20		
Williamston Circuit.....	5	27	190	35 00		
Greenville Station.....	2	21	213	235 94		
Pitt Mission.....	5	29	215	10 00		
Swift Creek Mission.....	5	20	15	4 00		
Aurora Circuit.....	5	9	125	5 00		
Bath Circuit.....	5	30	200	10 00		
Pl. mouth Station.....	1	10	63	20 00	4 50	12 00
Columbia Circuit.....	4	35	235	26 04		
Mattamuskeet Circuit.....	3	32	175	15 00		
Fairfield Station.....	1	16	90	23 61		
Swan Quarter Circuit.....	3	17	165	9 67		
Hatteras Mission.....	6	44	263			
Portsmouth and Ocracoke.....	2	18	83			
Total	54	367	2,510	\$ 574 26	\$ 22 65	\$ 12 00

SUNDAY SCHOOL TABLE, &c.—CONTINUED.

TRINITY COLLEGE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars.	Money Expended for Sunday-school Literature.	Money Contributed for Missions.	Other Objects.
Randolph Circuit.....	13	20	575	100 00	\$.....	.....
Thomasville and High Point.....	2	40	300	100 00	.....	.....
Davidson Circuit.....	9	38	553	49 95	.....	.....
Lexington Station.....	1	17	106	38 68	14 71	.....
Abbott's Creek Mission.....	2	8	120	5 00	.....	.....
Randleman Station.....	2	19	173	103 00	.....	.....
Franklinsville Circuit.....	1	11	85	22 00	.....	.....
Deep River Circuit.....	10	60	450	37 00	.....	.....
Uwharrie Circuit.....	6	18	250	.....	.....	.....
Jackson Hill Circuit.....	7	57	369	8 30	.....	.....
Montgomery Circuit.....	10	61	526	15 95	.....	.....
Pekin Circuit.....	7	26	250	8 59	.....	.....
Mount Gilead Circuit.....	6	44	355	50 00	.....	.....
Total,.....	76	422	4 112	\$ 538 38	14 71	\$.....

RECAPITULATION.

NAME OF DISTRICT.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars.	Money Expended for Sunday-school Literature	Money Contributed for Missions.	Other Objects.
Raleigh	63	467	4,268	703 90	33 19	\$.....
Durham	61	461	3,850	1,329 99	88 36	.....
Greensboro.....	63	520	4,071	1,061 95	71 19	150 00
Salisbury	62	474	4,579	528 03	169 60	154 73
Statesville.....	94	562	4,929	362 28	35 00	.....
Shelby.....	90	567	4,937	429 90	25 82	.....
Charlotte.....	56	413	3,569	653 77	204 30	.....
Fayetteville.....	65	441	3,578	585 42	.....	19 00
Wilmington	83	499	4,319	708 20	57 60	31 13
New Berne.....	67	568	3,581	841 80	78 49	193 00
Warrenton.....	52	323	2,680	530 05	73 40	.....
Washington.....	51	367	2,510	374 26	22 65	12 00
Trinity College.....	76	422	4,112	538 38	14 71	.....
Total	886	6,081	50,983	\$ 8,647 93	\$ 874 31	\$ 559 86
Total last year.....	833	5,453	45,040	\$ 8,190 46	.....	.....
Increase.....	53	631	5,943	457 47	.....	.....
Decrease						

FINANCE TABLE, NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE, 1886.

RALEIGH DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	PRESIDING ELDER.		PREACHER IN CHARGE.		BISHOPS.		CONF. CL'IM'NTS.		Other Objects.
	Ass'd.	Paid	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	
Raleigh—Edenton Street.....	\$ 250	\$ 250	\$ 1,500	\$ 1,500	28	28	\$ 130	\$ 130	348
Raleigh—Person St., Brooklyn and M. Mission.....	80	80	700	700	7	7	25	25	460
Cary Circuit.....	30	30	410	336	2	2	10	10	.....
Rolesville Circuit.....	100	92	700	586	14	14	50	50	.....
Smithfield Circuit.....	110	100	800	710	15	15	55	25	22
Clayton Circuit.....	50	42	550	442	6	6	25	11	.....
Tar River Circuit.....	200	200	1,000	1,000	20	20	100	85	39
Youngsville Circuit.....	50	42	360	382	6	6	20	13	.....
Louisburg Station.....	90	90	600	650	10	10	35	35	75
Oxford Station.....	100	100	1,000	1,000	11	11	50	31	110
Oxford Circuit.....	100	100	850	860	11	11	50	50	23
Henderson Station.....	100	100	900	900	11	11	50	50	.....
Buckhorn Circuit.....	100	79	700	550	10	10	50	25	.....
Earpsboro Mission.....	15	15	125	140	2	2	6	5	.....
Newton Grove Miss.....	25	25	250	250	3	3	7	7	.....
Total.....	\$ 1,500	\$ 1,418	\$ 11,245	\$ 10,646	171	\$ 171	\$ 72	\$ 592	1,077

Junior Preacher—none.

DUHHAM DISTRICT.

Durham Station.....	\$ 225	\$ 225	\$ 1,400	\$ 1,400	21	6	\$ 21	\$ 87	\$ 93	\$ 836
Durham Circuit.....	140	125	760	676	11	11	51	35	25	.....
West and East End Mission.....	.....	.....	.....	484	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hillsboro Circuit.....	105	92	505	446	8	8	35	25	66	.....
Chapel Hill.....	80	67	500	420	6	6	27	27	.....	.....
Person Circuit.....	180	170	1,050	1,012	14	14	70	51	.....	.....
Leasburg Circuit.....	200	190	1,000	953	19	19	77	75	.....	.....
Alamance Circuit.....	105	105	500	515	8	8	35	35	.....	.....
Haw River Circuit.....	160	161	900	905	13	14	65	66	.....	.....
Pittsboro Circuit.....	160	145	900	777	13	13	65	53	4	.....
Granville Circuit.....	145	132	800	746	13	10	56	40	.....	.....
Total.....	\$ 1,500	\$ 1,412	\$ 8,315	\$ 8,334	126	\$ 124	\$ 571	\$ 500	\$ 931	.....

Junior Preacher—Leasburg Circuit—Assessed, \$100; Paid, \$95.

GREENSBORO DISTRICT.

Greensboro Station.....	\$ 170	\$ 170	\$ 1,200	\$ 1,200	20	\$ 20	\$ 85	\$ 85	\$ 289
Guilford Circuit.....	85	70	600	500	10	10	43	43	23
East Guilford Cir.....	50	50	350	350	6	6	25	25	25
Pleasant Garden Cir.....	50	42	60	50	6	6	25	16	18
Winston Station.....	215	215	1,500	1,500	25	25	100	100	850
Forsyth Circuit.....	80	73	550	519	10	10	43	38	.....
Stokes Circuit.....	85	58	600	474	10	10	43	30	.....
Madison Circuit.....	88	88	700	700	10	10	46	46	.....
Ruffin Circuit.....	85	62	640	459	10	10	43	38	.....
Reidsville Station.....	108	108	750	750	12	12	50	32	.....
Yanceyville Circuit.....	133	85	800	486	14	14	59	23	.....
Kernersville Circuit	50	35	400	280	6	4	25	9	20
Total.....	\$ 1,199	\$ 1,056	\$ 8,150	\$ 7,249	139	\$ 137	\$ 587	\$ 405	\$ 1,177

Junior Preacher—Pleasant Garden Circuit—Assessed, \$90; Paid, \$80; Madison Circuit—Assessed, \$350; Paid, \$300; Yanceyville Circuit—Assessed, \$350; Paid, \$196. Total—Assessed, \$740; Paid, \$576.

FINANCE TABLE, &c.—CONTINUED.

SALISBURY DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	PRESIDING ELDER.		PREACHER IN CHARGE.		BISHOPS.		CONF. CL'IM'NTS.		Other Objects.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	
Salisbury Station.....\$	120	\$	120	\$	900	\$	900	\$	55
Salisbury Circuit.....	90		52		600		347		27
Mocksville Circuit.....	115		86		700		530		25
Rowan Circuit.....	60		50		500		368		17
Farmington Circuit.....	110		102		600		561		26
Concord Station.....	105		105		800		807		50
Concord Circuit.....	80		80		530		560		37
Mt. Pleasant Circuit.....	110		110		600		654		48
Albemarle Circuit.....	140		141		900		950		55
Stanly Circuit.....	80		62		525		412		22
Big Lick Mission.....	25		25		150		150		5
Mt. Zion Station.....	80		69		750		650		36
Enochville Circuit.....	65		65		435		331		18
Total.....\$	1,180	\$	1,067	\$	7,990	\$	7,220	\$	211

Junior Preacher—none.

STATESVILLE DISTRICT.

Statesville Station.....\$	100	\$	92	\$	1,000	\$	925	\$	9	\$	30	\$	30
Statesville Circuit.....	100		100		650		650		9		34		25
Mooresville Circuit.....	128		87		800		547		10		45		56
Iredell Circuit.....	120		91		800		655		10		40		24
Rock Spring Circuit.....	126		101		800		645		10		40		35
Newton Circuit.....	66		63		500		481		5		20		20
Catawba Circuit.....	66		46		500		349		5		20		16
Alexander Circuit.....	110		79		670		512		8		40		25
Caldwell Circuit.....	81		62		450		349		6		35		6
Lenoir Circuit.....	101		91		800		724		8		45		35
Wilkes Circuit.....	66		44		300		200		6		19		6
Roaring River Miss.	25		18		30		21				1		
Elkin & Jonesville.....	71		39		400		218		8		30		10
Mt. Airy Station.....	71		63		500		425		6		30		20
Mt. Airy Circuit.....	56		21		252		152		6		20		4
Dobson Circuit.....	51		26		400		210		3		18		3
Yadkinville Circuit.....	51		23		425		181		6		25		2
Total.....\$	1,389	\$	1,049	\$	9,277	\$	7,247	\$	115	\$	101	\$	292
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Junior Preacher—none.

SHELBY DISTRICT.

Shelby Station.....\$	65	\$	65	\$	800	\$	800	\$	8	\$	36	\$	103
Shelby Circuit.....	70		61		560		488		8		39		20
King's Mountain Ct.....	55		41		500		375		8		31		
Dallas Circuit.....	80		65		700		574		11		48		20
Gaston Circuit.....	70		51		600		442		9		45		21
Mt. Island Station.....	30		26		400		352		3		6		6
Lincoltn Circuit.....	75		60		670		505		11		4		25
South Fork Circuit.....	85		79		600		554		12		48		50
Hickory Station.....	50		45		500		454		8		30		25
Happy Home.Cir.....	50		41		490		443		7		30		14
Morganton Circuit.....	75		75		525		525		10		40		30
Table Rock Circuit.....	70		57		550		401		10		45		33
McDowell Circuit.....	63		56		500		430		7		35		20
Double Shoals Cir.....	80		63		500		398		10		5		15
Forest City Circuit.....	50		33		400		270		6		33		18
Rutherfordton Cir.....	80		57		600		433		10		45		35
Antioch Mission.....	15		6		185		74		3		8		8
Columbus Mission.....							121		3		10		1
Total.....\$	1,063	\$	881	\$	9,080	\$	7,639	\$	144	\$	130	\$	386
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Junior Preacher—none.

FINANCE TABLE, &c.—CONTINUED.

CHARLOTTE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	PRESIDING ELDER.		PREACHER IN CHARGE.		BISHOPS.		CONF. CL'IM'NTS.		Other Objects.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	
Charlotte— Tryon Street.....	\$ 230	\$ 151	\$ 1,500	\$ 1,000	\$ 25	\$ 25	\$ 100	\$ 85	1,230
Charlotte— Church Street.....	50	45	500	465	2	2	10	4	.....
Charlotte Circuit.....	45	29	400	235	4	4	18	2	.....
Matthews Circuit.....	75	56	600	453	5	5	20	15	.....
Clear Creek Circuit.....	90	90	560	570	8	8	37	22	.....
Pineville Circuit.....	100	87	700	612	12	10	46	30	.....
Pleasant Grove Cir.....	98	72	550	415	8	6	40	28	.....
Monroe Station.....	130	130	900	900	15	15	65	65	101
Monroe Circuit.....	85	78	525	483	7	7	30	16	.....
Wadesboro Station.....	95	87	700	645	10	10	40	40	65
Wadesboro Circuit.....	100	93	800	750	12	12	45	31	.....
Ansonville Circuit.....	100	100	750	763	12	12	45	45	.....
Lilesville Circuit.....	100	100	650	650	10	10	43	43	.....
Total.....	\$ 1,298	\$ 1,121	\$ 9,135	\$ 7,941	\$ 130	\$ 126	\$ 539	\$ 426	1,396

Junior Preacher—none.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

Fayetteville Station	\$ 150	\$ 150	\$ 1,000	\$ 1,000	\$ 17	\$ 22	\$ 70	\$ 70	200
Campbellton Miss'n	.....	.....	104	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cumberland Circuit	75	56	560	392	8	12	30	24	.....
Lumberton Circuit	110	98	690	535	.....	.....	55	35	.....
Robeson Circuit.....	115	98	800	720	13	13	56	32	.....
Ashpole Mission.....	25	25	300	329	2	3	3	3	10
Laurinburg Circuit.....	110	110	890	800	13	13	56	56	.....
St. John Station.....	110	110	750	759	13	13	56	33	.....
Rockingham Stat'n.....	125	1,000	920	15	15	15	30	30	72
Rockingham Circuit	75	70	600	566	8	10	30	21	.....
Manly Mission.....	35	40	365	445	2	3	5	6	.....
Carthage Circuit.....	115	98	700	601	10	15	40	40	29
Jonesboro Circuit.....	110	78	800	570	13	10	45	30	.....
Cape Fear Circuit.....	80	43	600	324	10	6	35	12	.....
Lillington Circuit.....	40	30	400	300	3	3	6	3	.....
Total.....	\$ 1,450	\$ 1,131	\$ 9,265	\$ 8,356	\$ 128	\$ 139	\$ 517	\$ 395	311

Junior Preacher—none.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

Wilmington— Front Street.....	\$ 230	\$ 230	\$ 1,800	\$ 1,800	\$ 20	\$ 15	\$ 100	\$ 71	.....
Wilmington— Fifth Street.....	100	100	1,000	1,000	10	10	30	30	460
Topsail Circuit.....	90	56	510	326	10	5	45	25	.....
Duplin Circuit.....	105	79	725	558	12	10	.....	.....	.....
Magnolia Circuit.....	59	36	400	335	6	1	25	11	.....
Clinton Circuit.....	135	135	800	860	14	10	60	25	.....
Cokesbury Circuit.....	100	61	585	361	12	12	55	19	.....
Bladen Circuit.....	80	80	575	561	12	12	55	27	.....
Elizabeth Circuit.....	105	72	700	504	12	10	55	40	.....
Whiteville Circuit.....	50	44	350	278	6	6	25	10	.....
Carver's Creek Cir...	50	50	500	500	6	6	.....	.....	.....
Waccamaw Circuit.....	30	18	350	200	5	4	10	1	.....
Smithville Station...	52	52	400	470	6	6	25	25	70
Brunswick Cir.....	62	62	350	350	6	6	25	11	.....
Onslow Circuit.....	60	35	315	188	6	5	25	12	.....
Total.....	\$ 1,299	\$ 1,110	\$ 9,360	\$ 8,291	\$ 143	\$ 118	\$ 535	\$ 307	530

Junior Preacher—Clinton Circuit—Assessed, \$300; Paid, \$300.

FINANCE TABLE, &c.—CONTINUED.

NEW BERNE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	PRESIDING ELDER.		PREACHER IN CHARGE.		BISHOPS.		CONF. CL'IM'NTS.		Other Objects.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	
New Berne Station... ⁴⁸	170	170	1,200	1,200	16	16	80	80	48
Goldsbor' Station...	173	173	1,200	1,200	21	21	89	89	300
Goldsboro Circuit....	60	55	400	366	7	7	30	16	.....
Wayne Circuit.....	108	88	750	616	13	13	56	56	.....
Mt. Olive Circuit.....	101	90	700	630	12	12	52	20	.....
Kinston Station.....	100	100	700	700	10	10	52	27	.....
Snow Hill Circuit.....	125	107	800	756	14	11	60	37	.....
LaGrange Circuit.....	7	72	500	500	9	9	37	17	.....
Lenoir Mission.....			132	85					
Craven Circuit	72	72	500	500	9	9	37	20	.....
Jones Circuit.....	101	54	700	376	12	4	52	21	.....
Morehead Station.....	65	65	450	450	7	7	3	35	.....
Beaufort Station.....	100	100	700	700	12	11	52	46	92
Carteret Circuit	60	51	400	346	7	7	30	24	.....
Neuse Mission.....			125	115					
Painlico Circuit.....	72	56	500	321	9	9	37	6	.....
Straits Circuit.....	30	37	265	265	4	4	18	5	4
Core Sound Mission.	6	6	100	31					2
Total	\$ 1,415	\$ 1,296	\$ 1,0125	\$ 9,157	\$ 162	\$ 153	\$ 717	\$ 499	446

Junior Preacher—none.

WARRENTON DISTRICT.

Warrenton Circuit... ⁸	130	75	900	535	14	14	60	10	.....
Warren Circuit.....	139	139	900	900	14	12	59	26	.....
Ridgeway Circuit.....	139	123	900	800	14	14	59	59	.....
Roanoke Circuit	93	72	600	486	9	9	39	39	.....
Weldon and Halifax	83	83	535	535	8	8	35	35	143
Hali.ax Circuit.....	93	54	600	346	9	6	38	22	.....
Scotland Neck Miss.	54	48	350	262	5	4	21	.....	15
Wilson Station.....	186	172	1,350	1,250	18	18	78	64	.....
Wilson Mission	77	20	500	273	8	1	38	7	.....
Nashville Circuit.....	77	35	500	233	8	4	33	.....	.....
Edgecombe Cir.....	120	109	790	716	11	8	50	40	.....
Total	\$ 1,191	\$ 930	\$ 7,925	\$ 6,336	\$ 118	\$ 98	\$ 570	\$ 302	158

Junior Preacher—none.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

Washington Station \$	125	125	700	707	11	11	56	45	.....
Tarboro an' Bethel..	120	121	900	900	12	12	55	50	130
South Edgecombe.....	130	94	900	656	12	10	57	40	23
Williamston Circuit	100	100	600	600	9	8	44	12	.....
Greenville Station...	100	10	600	600	10	10	44	41	100
Pitt Mission.....	50	40	300	300	4	4	22	6	.....
Swift Creek Mission	25	15	200	107	4	2	5	5	.....
Aurora Circuit.....	66	66	500	453	7	7	30	10	.....
Bath Circuit.....	66	36	310	252	7	7	30	4	.....
Plymouth Station...	85	85	500	500	10	10	37	37	60
Columbia Circuit ...	100	56	400	286	10	8	45	11	.....
Mattamuskeet Cir...	115	94	700	572	12	12	51	12	.....
Fairfield Station.....	75	75	400	400	6	6	27	10	.....
Swan Quarter Cir....	75	50	550	311	7	7	30	15	.....
Hatteras Mission.....	25	27	500	500	5	5	6	6	.....
Portsmouth and Ocracoke	10	10	120	69	2	2			.....
Total	\$ 1,267	\$ 1,094	\$ 8,180	\$ 7,213	\$ 128	\$ 121	\$ 539	\$ 307	313

Junior Preacher—none.

FINANCE TABLE, &c.—CONTINUED.

TRINITY COLLEGE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	PRESIDING ELDER.		PREACHER IN CHARGE.		BISHOPS.		CONF. CL'IM'NTS.		Other Objects,
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	
Randolph Circuit.....	\$ 135	\$ 116	\$ 909	\$ 776	15	15	60	40	.....
Thomasville and High Point.....	85	71	655	558	8	8	40	28	.....
Davidson Circuit.....	110	110	750	750	12	12	50	30	100
Lexington Station....	65	65	500	500	6	6	28	28	4
Abbott's Creek Miss.	20	6	150	45	1	1	8	.....	.....
Randleman Station....	110	110	800	800	11	11	30	30	.....
Franklinville Cir....	80	74	350	326	7	7	30	20	.....
Deep River Circuit....	120	95	630	500	11	10	51	35	.....
Uwharrie Circuit....	65	63	500	486	7	7	35	31	.....
Jackson's Hill Cir....	60	50	240	200	6	6	25	20	.....
Montgomery Cir....	80	63	500	386	7	7	30	18	.....
Pekin Circuit.....	80	72	450	401	8	8	35	25	.....
Mt. Gilead Circuit....	140	131	820	766	13	13	60	47	.....
Total.....	\$ 1,150	\$ 1,026	\$ 7,215	\$ 6,497	112	111	\$ 482	\$ 352	101

Junior Preacher—none.

RECAPITULATION.

NAME OF DISTRICT.	PRESIDING ELDER.		PREACHER IN CHARGE.		BISHOPS.		CONF. CL'IM'NTS.		Other Objects,
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	
Raleigh.....	\$ 1,500	\$ 1,413	\$ 11,245	\$ 10,646	171	171	\$ 723	\$ 592	1,077
Durham.....	1,500	1,412	8,315	8,331	126	124	571	500	931
Greensboro.....	1,199	1,056	8,150	7,249	139	137	587	465	1,177
Salisbury.....	1,180	1,067	7,990	7,220	124	122	505	421	211
Statesville.....	1,389	1,049	9,277	7,247	115	101	49	292	133
Shelby.....	1,063	881	9,089	7,639	144	130	612	386	185
Charlotte.....	1,298	1,121	9,135	7,941	130	126	539	426	1,396
Fayetteville.....	1,150	1,131	9,265	8,356	128	139	517	395	311
Wilmington.....	1,299	1,110	9,360	8,291	143	118	535	307	530
New Berne.....	1,415	1,296	10,125	9,157	162	153	717	499	446
Warrenton.....	1,191	930	7,925	6,336	118	98	570	302	158
Washington.....	1,267	1,094	8,180	7,213	128	121	539	307	313
Trinity College.....	1,150	1,026	7,245	6,497	112	111	482	352	104
Total.....	\$ 16,601	\$ 14,591	\$ 115,292	\$ 102,126	\$ 1,740	\$ 1,651	\$ 7,388	\$ 5,244	6,972
Total last year....	16,523	14,495	111,243	98,581	1,748	1,692	7,368	5,235	.....
Increase.....	78	96	4,049	3,545	.....	20	9	.....	.....
Decrease.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	41	.....	.....	.....

Junior Preacher—Durham—Assessed, 100; Paid 95; Greensboro—Assessed, 740; Paid, 576; Wilmington—Assessed, 300; Paid, 300 Total—Assessed, \$1,140; Paid, \$971.

ANNIVERSARY MEETING--MISSIONARY BOARD.

SATURDAY EVENING, December 4th, 1886.

The Missionary Board of the North Carolina Annual Conference held its anniversary meeting at the Methodist Church, Reidsville, N. C., this evening, Rev. F. D. SWINDELL, President, in the chair. Opening services were conducted by Rev. M. L. WOOD, D. D., former Missionary to China.

The following reports were submitted and handed subsequently to the Secretary of the Conference for publication:

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY OF THE BOARD OF MISSIONS,
READ AT THE ANNIVERSARY IN REIDSVILLE.

In reviewing the Domestic Missionary work of the year, we are constrained to an expression of profound gratitude to Almighty God, for the success with which He has crowned the labors of the missionaries.

Never since the connection of this Board with the work has there been such gratifying progress. Both in material and spiritual interests has there been a decided advance.

Many new churches have been built and old ones repaired. The people have become more interested in our work among them, and are drawing toward us. If we could see the way to enlarge our field, because of an increased liberality on the part of the church, we could accomplish much greater results. The Board feels sure that we are not gaining as we might in this important branch of our work.

The greatest progress, during the year, has been at Durham. One year ago a mission was organized there with a liberal appropriation. Now out of it we have an excellent church, Main street, which will be self-supporting, and Carr's church which it is thought by help from the Board for one year will also be self-sustaining. Both of these have good church buildings. Of the others—Brooklyn and Macedonia, Manly, Big Lick and Campbellton have made decided progress, and we expect with a little assistance this year will become good, self-supporting charges.

Hatteras mission has been advanced to a circuit. We trust that the time is not far distant, when the great heart of the church will beat in harmony with our home mission work, and give liberally of their means to help win others to Christ, out of love to Him who gave himself for them.

J. E. BRISTOWE, *Secretary.*

REPORT OF TREASURER OF BOARD.

R. R. CRAWFORD, *Treasurer,**In account with Domestic Mission Fund, N. C. Conference:*

1886	DR.	
Raleigh	District	\$ 491 50
Durham	"	332 25
Greensboro	"	404 54
Trinity College	"	305 57
Salisbury	"	346 96
Statesville	"	304 20
Shelby	"	325 90
Charlotte	"	337 61
Fayetteville	"	358 12
Wilmington	"	276 90
New Berne	"	428 00
Warrenton	"	256 25
Washington	"	277 17
		————— \$4,444 97
Anniversary Collection		96 59
Balance from 1885		144 07
1886.	CR.	\$4,685 63
Dec. 6. By cash Swift Creek Mission	.....	238 00
" Earpsboro	"	272 00
" Manly	"	136 00
" Wilson	"	272 00
" Antioch	"	238 00
" Brooklyn and Macedonia Mission	.....	204 00
" Big Lick Mission	.....	222 00
" Durham	"	408 00
" Ashpole	"	170 00
" Pitt	"	136 00
" Lenoir	"	136 00
" Campbellton	"	204 00
" Portsmouth and Ocracoke Mission	.....	130 00
" Roaring River Mission	.....	238 00
" Scotland Neck	"	204 00
" Columbus	"	272 00
" Abbott's Creek	"	204 00
" Core Sound	"	272 00
" Neuse	"	136 00
" Newton Grove	"	272 00
" Hatteras	"	136 00
Balance	.....	179 63
		————— 4,685 63

R. R. CRAWFORD, *Treasurer,**In account with Foreign Mission Fund, N. C. Conference:*

1886.	DR.	
Raleigh	District	\$1,217 86
Durham	"	840 81
Greensboro	"	1,122 16
Trinity College	"	916 55
Salisbury	"	914 40
Statesville	"	796 25
Shelby	"	755 77
Charlotte	"	843 47
Fayetteville	"	844 91
Wilmington	"	616 23
New Berne	"	951 70
Warrenton	"	467 10
Washington	"	535 77
		\$10,822 98
Anniversary Collection		96 59
G. W. Simmons		5 00
W. R. Ware		10 00
S. K. McDonald		50
W. J. Gay		5 00
V. A. Sharpe		5 00
J. F. Washburn		5 00
1886.	CR.	\$10,950 07
By cash D. C. Kelley		\$ 15 50
Dec. 1. By cash receipts from Pastors for amounts for- warded Dr. Kelley		3,544 50
Dec. 4. By checks to Dr. D. C. Kelley		1,211 78
6. " " " 3,500 00		
8. " " " 2,622 04		
By stamps and book		1 25
" stationary and receipt-books		3 25
" exchange		3 00
" check to D. C. Kelley		48 75
		\$10,950 07

The President, by request, read the report of the Society of Bright Jewels, also the reports of Secretary and Treasurer of the Conference Woman's Missionary Society.

Addresses were made by Rev. W. W. ROYALL and Bishop GRANBERY. Owing to the inclemency of the weather it was announced that the collection would be postponed until to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock. On Sunday morning a collection was taken, amounting to \$193.

CHRONOLOGICAL ROLL OF THE CONFERENCE.

* 1 Miles Foy	1829	Lynchburg, Virginia.
* 2 Thomas S. Campbell	1831	New Berne, N. C.
* 3 Daniel Culbreth	1831	New Berne, N. C.
* 4 William W. Albea	1833	Petersburg, Virginia.
5 Robert O. Burton	1833	Petersburg, Virginia.
* 6 Willis S. Haltom	1834	Charleston, S. C.
7 Joseph H. Wheeler	1834	Charleston, S. C.
* 8 Gaston Farrar	1836	Macon, Georgia.
* 9 Thomas L. Hoyle	1837	Baltimore, Maryland.
*10 John Tillett	1839	Salisbury, N. C.
11 Washington S. Chaffin	1840	Mocksville, N. C.
12 Nathan A. Hooker	1840	Mocksville, N. C.
13 T. Page Ricaud	1841	Norfolk, Virginia.
14 Solomon H. Helsabeck	1843	Halifax C. H., Va.
15 Nathan H. D. Wilson	1843	Halifax C. H., Va.
*16 Thomas C. Moses	1844	Pittsboro, N. C.
*17 Thomas B. Reeks	1844	Pittsboro, N. C.
18 Joseph B. Martin	1845	Washington, N. C.
19 William H. Bobbitt	1846	New Berne, N. C.
20 Lingurn S. Burkhead	1849	Oxford, N. C.
21 Paul J. Carraway	1849	Oxford, N. C.
*22 John W. North	1849	Camden, S. C.
23 Zebedee Rush	1849	Oxford, N. C.
*24 Henry H. Gibbons	1850	Warrenton, N. C.
25 George W. Ivey	1850	Wadesboro, N. C.
*26 Daniel May	1850	Wadesboro, N. C.
27 Thomas W. Guthrie	1851	Salisbury, N. C.
*28 Hilary T. Hudson	1851	Salisbury, N. C.
29 Shockley D. Adams	1852	Louisburg, N. C.
*30 Charles M. Anderson	1852	Louisburg, N. C.
31 Clarendon M. Pepper	1852	Louisburg, N. C.
*32 Isaac W. Avent	1853	Raleigh, N. C.
33 James E. Mann	1853	Raleigh, N. C.
34 Isaac F. Keerans	1854	Pittsboro, N. C.
35 Caswell W. King	1854	Pittsboro, N. C.
36 Jesse S. Nelson	1854	Charleston, S. C.
37 Simeon D. Peeler	1854	Pittsboro, N. C.
*38 John W. Puett	1855	Marion, S. C.
39 William S. Black	1855	Marion, S. C.
40 James B. Bobbitt	1855	Wilmington, N. C.

41	Jesse A. Cuninggim	1855	Wilmington, N. C.
42	Moses J. Hunt	1855	Wilmington, N. C.
*43	Marcus C. Thomas	1855	Wilmington, N. C.
44	Joseph C. Thomas	1855	Wilmington, N. C.
45	Thomas L. Triplett	1855	Wilmington, N. C.
46	James W. Wheeler	1855	Wilmington, N. C.
47	Joseph Wheeler	1855	Wilmington, N. C.
48	Marquis L. Wood	1855	Wilmington, N. C.
49	Robert G. Barrett	1856	Greensboro, N. C.
50	James B. Bailey	1856	Greensboro, N. C.
51	Alexander D. Betts	1856	Greensboro, N. C.
52	William C. Gannon	1856	Greensboro, N. C.
53	Samuel V. Hoyle	1856	Lynchburg, Virginia.
54	Adolphus W. Mangum	1856	Greensboro, N. C.
*55	George E. Wyche	1856	Greensboro, N. C.
56	David R. Bruton	1857	Goldsboro, N. C.
57	VanBuren A. Sharpe	1857	Charlotte, N. C.
58	G. W. Callahan	1857	Marion, Virginia.
59	John R. Brooks	1858	New Berne, N. C.
60	John W. Jenkins	1858	New Berne, N. C.
61	Robert A. Willis	1858	New Berne, N. C.
62	Bernice B. Culbreth	1859	Beaufort, N. C.
*63	Thomas H. Edwards	1859	Greenville, S. C.
64	Peter L. Herman	1859	Greenville, S. C.
65	R. T. N. Stephenson	1859	Beaufort, N. C.
66	Richard S. Webb	1859	Beaufort, N. C.
67	Franklin H. Wood	1859	Beaufort, N. C.
68	James D. Carpenter	1860	Columbia, S. C.
69	Thomas J. Gattis	1860	Salisbury, N. C.
70	William H. Moore	1860	Salisbury, N. C.
71	Wesley M. Robey	1860	Salisbury, N. C.
72	Alexander R. Raven	1860	Salisbury, N. C.
73	Edwin A. Yates	1860	Salisbury, N. C.
74	John D. Buie	1862	Raleigh, N. C.
75	John C. Hartsell	1862	Spartanburg, S. C.
76	Thomas A. Boone	1863	Sumter, S. C.
77	George F. Round	1863	Sumter, S. C.
78	Martin V. Sherrill	1863	Greensboro, N. C.
79	William C. Willson	1863	Greensboro, N. C.
*80	J. C. Crisp	1864	Newberry, S. C.
81	John E. Thompson	1865	Raleigh, N. C.
82	Joseph R. Griffith	1866	Marion, S. C.
*83	William H. Call	1867	Wilmington, N. C.
*84	Squire M. Davis	1867	Morganton, N. C.
85	Maxwell H. Hoyle	1867	Morganton, N. C.

86	Leonidas W. Crawford	1868	Statesville, N. C.
87	John F. Heitman	1869	New Berne, N. C.
*88	Edward Howland	1869	New Berne, N. C.
89	Joseph J. Renn	1869	New Berne, N. C.
*90	Joseph F. England	1869	Cheraw, S. C.
91	A. Gamewell Gantt	1869	Cheraw, S. C.
92	Junius T. Harris	1870	Greensboro, N. C.
93	Frank L. Reid	1870	Greensboro, N. C.
94	James Willson	1871	Charlotte, N. C.
95	Robah F. Bumpass	1871	Charlotte, N. C.
96	Frederick D. Swindell	1871	Charlotte, N. C.
97	Philip Greening	1871	Charlotte, N. C.
*98	Thomas W. Smith	1871	Spartanburg, S. C.
99	William C. Norman	1872	Fayetteville, N. C.
100	Jonathan Sanford	1872	Fayetteville, N. C.
101	Lucian J. Holden	1873	Goldsboro, N. C.
102	Lucius E. Stacy	1873	Goldsboro, N. C.
103	P. F. W. Stanney	1873	Goldsboro, N. C.
104	James R. Scroggs	1873	Goldsboro, N. C.
105	Christie A. Gault	1873	Goldsboro, N. C.
106	Marcus W. Boyles	1873	Goldsboro, N. C.
107	James M. Lumley	1873	Goldsboro, N. C.
108	Nathaniel M. Jurney	1874	Raleigh, N. C.
109	Jeremiah F. Craven	1874	Raleigh, N. C.
110	William S. Rone	1874	Raleigh, N. C.
111	John T. Gibbs	1874	Raleigh, N. C.
*112	James W. Randall	1874	Raleigh, N. C.
113	Leonidas L. Nash	1874	Raleigh, N. C.
114	James M. Rhodes	1875	Wilmington, N. C.
115	Benjamin R. Hall	1875	Wilmington, N. C.
116	Jonathan B. Carpenter	1875	Wilmington, N. C.
117	Franklin A. Bishop	1876	Greensboro, N. C.
118	Walter S. Creasy	1876	Greensboro, N. C.
119	William B. Doub	1876	Greensboro, N. C.
*120	Elisha J. Eudaily	1876	Greensboro, N. C.
121	James T. Lyon	1876	Greensboro, N. C.
122	George W. Hardison	1876	Greensboro, N. C.
123	Thomas H. Pegram	1877	Salisbury, N. C.
124	Nereus E. Coltrane	1877	Salisbury, N. C.
125	Joseph C. Rowe	1877	Salisbury, N. C.
126	Pinckney L. Groome	1877	Salisbury, N. C.
127	James H. Cordon	1877	Salisbury, N. C.
128	Charles M. Gentry	1877	Salisbury, N. C.
129	Rufus C. Beaman	1877	Salisbury, N. C.
130	Andrew P. Tyer	1877	Salisbury, N. C.

131	Thomas J. Browning	1877	Salisbury, N. C.
132d	Luolphus E. Thompson	1878	Charlotte, N. C.
133	Daniel L. Earnhardt	1878	Charlotte, N. C.
*134	James E. Bristowe	1878	Charlotte, N. C.
135	Matthew H. Moore	1878	Charlotte, N. C.
136	John N. Cole	1878	Charlotte, N. C.
137	James O. Guthrie	1879	Wilson, N. C.
138	J. Edwin Thompson	1879	Wilson, N. C.
139	Colin G. Little	1879	Wilson, N. C.
140	Frank L. Townsend	1879	Wilson, N. C.
141	Francis B. McCall	1879	Wilson, N. C.
142	William L. Cuninggim	1879	Wilson, N. C.
143	William S. Hales	1879	Wilson, N. C.
144	Thomas A. Stone	1879	Wilson, N. C.
145	John T. Finlayson	1879	Wilson, N. C.
146	Joseph D. Arnold	1879	Wilson, N. C.
147	Daniel A. Watkins	1879	Wilson, N. C.
148	John W. Jones	1880	Winston, N. C.
149	Robert L. Warlick	1880	Winston, N. C.
150	William B. North	1880	Winston, N. C.
151	James T. Kendall	1880	Winston, N. C.
152	Walter T. Cutchin	1880	Winston, N. C.
153	Jesse H. Page	1881	Durham, N. C.
154	A. M. Lowé	1881	Durham, N. C.
*155	Zachary T. Harrison	1881	Durham, N. C.
156	Leroy L. Johnson	1881	Durham, N. C.
157	James F. Washburn	1881	Durham, N. C.
158	Charles P. Snow	1881	Durham, N. C.
159	Robert M. Hoyle	1881	Durham, N. C.
160	William L. Grissom	1881	Durham, N. C.
*161	Joseph L. Keen	1881	Durham, N. C.
162	John T. Abernethy	1881	Durham, N. C.
163	Edward L. Pell	1881	Durham, N. C.
*164	William J. Crowson	1881	Durham, N. C.
165	George A. Oglesby	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
166	James E. Gay	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
167	John H. Hall	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
168	Clayter W. Smith	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
169	Charles O. Durant	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
170	Lawrence O. Wyche	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
171	Barna B. Holder	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
172	Isaac A. White	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
173	Enoch L. Stamey	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
174	Alpheus McCullen	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
175	Charles W. Byrd	1882	Raleigh, N. C.

176	Jacob A. Lee	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
177	Marcus D. Giles	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
178	Thomas S. Ellington	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
179	Barzilia C. Allred	1883	Statesville, N. C.
180	James A. Bowles	1883	Statesville, N. C.
181	Robert P. Troy	1883	Statesville, N. C.
182	John E. Underwood	1883	Statesville, N. C.
183	James M. Ashby	1883	Statesville, N. C.
184	Daniel H. Tuttle	1883	Statesville, N. C.
185	Charles C. Brothers	1883	Statesville, N. C.
186	Hugh M. Blair	1883	Statesville, N. C.
187	John B. Hurley	1883	Statesville, N. C.
188	Roderick B. John	1883	Statesville, N. C.
189	Frank M. Shamberger	1883	Statesville, N. C.
190	Marshall A. Smith	1883	Statesville, N. C.
191	Thomas J. Daily	1883	Statesville, N. C.
192	Wesley M. Bagby	1883	Statesville, N. C.
193	John E. Woosley	1883	Statesville, N. C.
194	Alpheus E. Wiley	1883	Statesville, N. C.
195	Oliver Ryder	1884	Wilmington, N. C.
196	William R. Ware	1884	Wilmington, N. C.
197	Miles M. McFarland	1884	Wilmington, N. C.
198	John J. Grigg	1884	Wilmington, N. C.
199	John A. Hornaday	1884	Wilmington, N. C.
200	Condor P. Jerome	1884	Wilmington, N. C.
201	William F. Coffin	1884	Wilmington, N. C.
202	Duncan A. Futrell	1884	Wilmington, N. C.
203	Joseph G. Nelson	1884	Wilmington, N. C.
204	James R. Betts	1884	Wilmington, N. C.
205	William W. Rose	1884	Wilmington, N. C.

*Not present during Conference.

ROLL OF LAY DELEGATES.

RALEIGH DISTRICT—Donald W. Bain, Arthur Arrington, Millard Mial (alternate for James A. Stallings), Richard H. Whitaker.

DURHAM DISTRICT—W. F. Stroud, James H. Southgate, A. G. Headen, John A. Waller.

GREENSBORO DISTRICT—C. B. Watson, J. C. Pinnix, *D. E. Field, E. E. Gray (alternate in place of C. H. Ireland).

SALISBURY DISTRICT—M. L. Holmes, *Eli Lentz, W. T. Tucker, A. L. Coburn.

STATESVILLE DISTRICT—G. W. Sparger, J. B. Connelly, *P. G. Moore, *Francis Miller.

SHELBY DISTRICT—*D. M. Thompson, *Lemuel J. Hoyle, *J. T. Johnson, J. S. Martin.

CHARLOTTE DISTRICT—J. M. Dunlap, W. J. Boylin, J. A. Ardrey, J. H. Winchester.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT—K. H. Worthy, H. C. Wall (alternate in place of F. B. Gibson, R. D. Phillips, *A. F. Page).

WILMINGTON DISTRICT—A. J. Johnson, W. J. Parker, W. M. Parker (alternate in place of W. S. Dosher), D. C. Geddie (alternate in place of J. C. Davis).

NEW BERNE DISTRICT—T. A. Green, *W. A. Darden, A. C. Davis, J. W. Grainger.

WARRENTON DISTRICT—*N. P. Boddie, John F. Bruton, *John K. Wheeler, G. T. Simmons.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT—E. C. Glenn, *T. H. Gatlin, *M. J. Norman, William Lowe (alternate in place of J. M. Benson).

TRINITY COLLEGE DISTRICT—F. E. Asbury, C. F. Siler, W. A. Woolen, J. R. Evans (alternate in place of R. H. Skeen).

ADDRESS OF MINISTERS—ALPHABETICAL ROLL.

Abernethy, J. T.	Mt. Olive	Cove
Adams, S. D., P. E.	Carthage	Toisnot
Albea, W. W.	Winston	Raleigh
Allred, B. C.	Clayton	Cuninggim, J. A., P. E., Greensboro
Anderson, C. M.	Morganton	Cuninggim, W. L.
Anderson, H. B.	Jackson Hill	Oxford
Arnold, J. D.	Henderson	Cutchin, W. T.
Ashby, J. M.	Smithville	Williamston
Avent, I. W.	Chalk Level	Daily, T. J.
Bagby, W. M.	Statesville	Lenoir
Bailey, J. B.	Lincolnton	Davis, E. H.
Barrett, R. G.	Kernersville	Leasburg
Beaman, R. C.	Fremont	Davis, S. M.
Becton, S. F.	Harlowe Creek	Shelby
Best, M. T.	Roxboro	Davis, Wm. S.
Betts, A. D.	Nashville	Durham
Betts, J. R.	Mountain Island	Doub, W. B.
Bishop, F. A.	Greenville	Carthage
Black, W. S., P. E.	Raleigh	Douglas, S. P. (supply)
Blair, H. M.	Smith Grove	Mount Airy
Bobbitt, J. B.	Goldsboro	Downum, J. M.
Bobbitt, W. H., P. E.	Salisbury	Whiteville
Bonner, T. P.	Scotland Neck	Durant, C. O.
Boone, T. A.	Denver	Capel's Mills
Bowles, J. A.	Summerfield	Earnhardt, D. L.
Boyles, M. W.	Mt. Gilead	Keeversville
Bristowe, J. E.	Hickory	Edwards, T. H.
Brooks, J. R.	Goldsboro	Mill Springs
Brothers, C. C.	Hatteras	Ellington, T. S.
Browning, T. J.	Whiteville	Monroe
Bruton, D. R.	Reidsville	England, J. F.
Bumpass, R. F.	Randleman	Fallston
Burkhead, L. S.	Winston	Eudaily, E. J.
Burton, R. O.	Weldon	Wilkesboro
Buie, J. D.	Yanceyville	Eure, H. M.
Butt, J. F.	(supply)	Supply
Byrd, C. W.	Salisbury	Farrar, Gaston
Call, W. H.	Washington	Carbonton
Callahan, G. W.	Morganton	Finlayson, J. T.
Campbell, T. S.	Lexington	Lumberton
Carpenter, J. B.	Connelly Springs	Fisher, G. W.
Carpenter, J. D., Mount Vernon Sp'gs		China Grove
Carraway, P. J., P. E.	Charlotte	Forbes, W. A.
Chaffin, W. S.	Jonesboro	Magnolia
Coffin, W. F.	Charlotte	Foy, Miles
Cole, J. N.	Ridgeway	Mount Airy
Coltrane, N. E.	Oxford	Futrell, D. A.
Cordon, J. H.	Wilson	Elkin
Craven, J. F.	Trap Hill	Gannon, W. C.
Crawford, L. W.	New Berne	Monroe
Creasy, W. S.	Durham	Gantt, A. G.
Crisp, J. C.	Ashton	Kenansville
		Gattis, T. J.
		Tarboro
		Gault, C. A.
		Taylorsville
		Gay, J. E.
		Lexington
		Geddie, D. C.
		Trinity College
		Gentry, C. M.
		Newton
		Gibbons, H. H.
		Mt. Olive
		Gibbs, J. T.
		Fayetteville
		Giles, M. D.
		Table Rock
		Gilliam, R. B.
		Greenville
		Godwin, C. W.
		Wilmington
		Greene, J. A.
		Big Lick
		Greening, Philip
		Rolesville
		Gregson, Amos
		Durham
		Griffith, J. R.
		Chapel Hill
		Grigg, J. J.
		Fayetteville
		Grissom, W. L.
		Concord
		Groome, P. L.
		Greensboro
		Guthrie, J. O.
		Lake Landing
		Guthrie, T. W., P. E.
		Rockingham
		Guyton, N. H.
		Banyan
		Hales, W. S.
		Cumberland
		Hall, B. R.
		Chapel Hill
		Hall, J. H.
		Durham
		Haltom, W. S.
		Charlotte

Hardison, G. W.	Lilesville	Page, J. H.	Rockingham
Harris, J. T., P. E.	Goldsboro	Paris, Zadok	Charlotte
Harrison, Z. T.	Swan Quarter	Peeler, S. D.	Kernersville
Hartsell, J. C.	Stanley's Creek	Pegram, J. D.	Chalk Level
Heitman, J. F.	Trinity College	Pegram, T. H.	Winston
Helsabeck, S. H.	Five Forks	Pegram, J. Y., (sup.)	Mackey's Ferry
Herman, P. L.	Snow Hill	Pell, E. L.	Fairfield
Hightower, W. O.	Jonesboro	Pepper, C. M.	Mount Gilead
Holden, L. J.	Littleton	Perry, G. B.	Lassiter's Mills
Holder, B. B.	Stanhope	Pool, Solomon	Smithfield
Hooker, N. A.	Kinston	Pool, J. M.	Otter Creek
Hoover, E. D.	Straits	Pope, Erskine	Godwin's
Hornaday, J. A.	Maxton	Puckett, W. H.	Newport
Howland, Edward	Cary	Puett, J. W.	Dallas
Hoyle, M. H.	Roxboro	Randall, J. W.	Miconopy, Fla
Hoyle, R. M.	Lexington	Raven, A. R.	Rocky Mount
Hoyle, S. V.	Thomasville	Reeks, T. B.	Enfield
Hoyle, T. L.	Ayersville	Reid, F. L.	Raleigh
Hudson, H. T.	Shelby	Renn, J. J.	Franklin
Hunt, M. J.	Lewisville	Rhodes, J. M.	Henderson
Hurley, John B.	Mt. Airy	Ricaud, T. P.	Weldon
Ivey, G. W.	Olin	Robey, W. M.	Goldsboro
Ivey, T. N.	Mooresville	Robinson, C. W.	Yanceyville
Jenkins, J. W.	Franklin	Rone, W. S.	Statesville
Jerome, C. P.	Cypress Creek	Rose, W. W.	LaGrange
John, R. B.	Raleigh	Round, G. F.	Ruffin
Johnson, L. L.	Company Shops	Rowe, J. C.	Albemarle
Johnston, J. G.		Rush, Zebedee	Albemarle
Jones, J. W.	Beaufort	Ryder, Oliver	Siler City
Jurney, N. M.	Kinston	Sanford, Jonathan	Leesville
Keen, J. L.	Scott's Hill	Scroggs, J. R.	Shelby
Keerans, I. F.	Sawyersville	Shamberger, F. M.	Plymouth
Kendall, J. T.	Clinton	Sharpe, V. E., P. E.	Thomasville
King, C. W.	Pleasant Garden	Sherrill, M. V.	Catawba
Lee, J. A.	Matthews	Smith, C. W.	Enochsville
Little, C. G.	Walnut Cove	Smith, G. F.	Greensboro
Lovin, T. C.	Moravian Falls	Smith, M. A.	Blue's Crossing
Lowe, A. M.	Forest City	Smith, T. W.	Concord
Lowe, William	Columbia	Snow, C. P.	Yadkinville
Lumly, J. M.	Gastonia	Soon, C. J., mission'y	Quinsan, China
Lyon, J. T.	Laurinburg	Stacy, L. E.	Gibson's Station
Mangum, A. W.	Chapel Hill	Stamey, P. F. W.	Reidsville
Mann, J. F.	Greensboro	Stamey, E. L.	Morehead
Martin, J. B.	Chapel Hill	Steele, M. T.	Rutherford College
May, Daniel	Elizabethtown	Stephenson, R. T. N.	Pittsboro
McCall, F. B.	Clear Creek	Stone, T. A.	Mocksville
McCullen, Alpheus	Louisburg	Swindell, F. D.	Charlotte
McFarland, M. M.	Pleasant Garden	Tart, J. H.	Fair Bluff
Moore, M. H.	Ansonville	Tate, D. P.	Ocracoke
Moore, W. H., P. E.	Washington	Taylor, R. M.	Lovelady
Moses, T. C.	Beaumont	Thomas, J. C.	Franklinsville
Nash, L. L.	Leasburg	Thomas, M. C.	Apex
Needham, Z. J.	Clinton	Thompson, John E.	Chalk Level
Nelson, J. G.	Cedar Grove	Thompson, J. Edwin	Wadesboro
Nelson, J. S., P. E.	Littleton	Thompson, L. E.	Mooresville
Norman, W. C.	Raleigh	Tillett, John	Thomasville
North, J. W.	Davidson College	Townsend, F. L.	Rockingham
North, W. B.	Warrenton	Townsend, W. H., King's Mountain	
Oglesby, G. A.	Mount Pleasant	Townsend, R. W.	Fayetteville

Triplett, T. L.	Morganton	White, I. A.	Blocker's
Troy, R. P.	Madison	Wiley, A. E.	Winchester
Tuttle, D. H.	Wilmington	Willis, R. A., P. E.	Statesville
Tyer, A. P.	Pineville	Willson, James	Statesville
Underwood, J. E.	Tally Ho	Wilson, N. H. D., P. E.,	Greensboro
Ware, W. R.	Washington	Willson, W. C.	Mocksville
Warlick, R. L.	Council Station	Wood, F. H.	Trinity College
Washburn, J. F.	Trenton	Wood, M. L., P. E.	Shelby
Watkins, D. A.	Rutherfordton	Woosley, J. E.	Troy
Webb, R. S.	Wadesboro	Wyche, G. E.	Raleigh
Wheeler, Jas. W.	King's Mountain	Wyche, L. O.	Aurora
Wheeler, Joseph	Concord	Yates, E. A.	Wilmington
Wheeler, Joseph H.,	Charleston, S.C	York, B. A.	Dobson

IN MEMORIAM.

THE DEAD OF THE NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE.

NAMES.	BIRTH.		JOINED CONFERENCE.		DEATH.	
	Year.	Place.	Year.	Place.	Year.	Place.
B. R. Newcomb		Virginia	1834	Raleigh	1837	Florida.
Robert E. Watkins					1838	-----
W. S. Johnson		Virginia	1837	Virginia	1841	-----
J. W. Jackson			1838	-----	1842	Wake county, N. C.
Chapel Featherston			1836	Virginia	1843	-----
Henry Speck	1802				1844	Lexington, N. C.
John T. Brame			1839	Salisbury, N. C.	1845	-----
William W. Turner	1812	Virginia	1838	North Carolina	1846	Virginia.
William Compton		England	1809	Virginia	1847	Oxford, N. C.
Jas. W. Jeter	1819	Virginia	1841	Virginia	1847	North Carolina.
Thomas R. Brame	1796	Virginia	1820	Virginia	1848	Granville, N. C.
John A. Miller	1797	Virginia	1827	Virginia	1849	North Carolina.
Thomas S. Cassodey	1817	Virginia	1846	North Carolina	1850	North Carolina.
Alsa H. Tucker		North Carolina	1839	Salisbury, N. C.	1850	Wake county, N. C.
Jas. L. Nicholson	1814	Iredell county, N. C.	1834	Raleigh, N. C.	1852	North Carolina.
John W. Wilson	1825	Chatham county, N. C.	1847	Greensboro, N. C.	1852	Chapel Hill, N. C.
Sidney D. Bumpass		Orange county, N. C.	1836	Virginia	1852	Salisbury, N. C.
Hezekiah G. Leigh	1795	Perquimans county, N.C.	1818	Virginia	1853	Virginia.
E. E. Freeman	1820	Granville county, N. C.	1843	Halifax C. H., Va.	1854	Virginia.
Joseph Goodman	1801	Fluvanna county, Va.	1828	Virginia	1856	Virginia.
Jas. M. Westbrooks	1827	North Carolina	1851	North Carolina	1856	Guilford county, N. C.
J. W. Parks	1818	Surry county, N. C.	1846	North Carolina	1856	Beaufort, N. C.
William W. Nesbit	1812	Catawba county, N. C.	1840	North Carolina	1856	Patrick county, Va.

THE DEAD OF THE NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE.—CONTINUED.

NAMES.	BIRTH.		JOINED CONFERENCE.		DEATH.	
	Year.	Place.	Year.	Place.	Year.	Place.
Malcolm L. Douglas		Richmond county, N. C.	1853	North Carolina	1856	Greensboro, N. C.
James Purvis	1800	Bertie county, N. C.	1831	New Berne, N. C.	1857	Wilkesboro, N. C.
Thomas Jones	1802	North Carolina	1831	New Berne, N. C.	1857	Davidson county, N. C.
Arthur F. Harris	1818	Montgomery Co., N. C.	1852	Louisburg, N. C.	1857	Thomasville, N. C.
Jas. Patterson					1858	Iredell county, N. C.
Wm. I. Langdon	1814	Beaufort, N. C.	1848	North Carolina	1859	High Point, N. C.
Alexander Gattis	1819	Orange county, N. C.	1846	North Carolina	1859	Orange county, N. C.
William Anderson	1803	Virginia	1825	Virginia	1859	
Jas. H. Brent	1825	Rockingham Co., N. C.	1850	Warrenton, N. C.	1860	New Berne, N. C.
J. L. Newby	1818	Pasquotank county, N. C.	1855	North Carolina	1862	Fayetteville, N. C.
Benjamin F. Guthrie	1837	Chatham county, N. C.	1858	New Berne, N. C.	1862	Virginia.
John M. Gunn	1801	Iredell county, N. C.		North Carolina	1862	North Carolina.
Thompson Garrard	1800	Grange county, N. C.		Virginia	1863	North Carolina.
John C. Brent	1837	Rockingham Co., N. C.	1858	New Berne, N. C.	1863	Columbus county, N. C.
R. C. Maynard	1815	Virginia	1837	Petersburg, Va.	1863	Granville county, N. C.
Medicus H. Hight	1833	Franklin county, N. C.	1855	North Carolina	1863	North Carolina.
David W. Doub	1816	North Carolina	1843	Halifax C. H., Va.	1864	Iredell county, N. C.
John W. Tinnin	1817	Orange county, N. C.	1841	Raleigh, N. C.	1865	Pittsboro, N. C.
Joshua Bethel		Virginia	1829	Virginia	1865	Greensboro, N. C.
David B. Nicholson	1809	Iredell county, N. C.	1831	New Berne, N. C.	1866	Magnolia, N. C.
W. A. Smith		Wake county, N. C.	1860	Salisbury, N. C.	1867	Wake county, N. C.
Wm. H. Wheeler	1837	Darlington, S. C.	1858	New Berne, N. C.	1869	Leasburg, N. C.
John R. McIntosh	1799	Isle of Sky-Scotland		Mississippi	1869	Cumberland county, N. C.
Peter Doub	1796	Stokes county, N. C.	1818	Norfolk, Va.	1869	Greensboro, N. C.
Jeffrey H. Robbins	1829	Randolph county, N. C.	1859	North Carolina	1869	Clinton, N. C.

George W. Deems	1794	Baltimore	1835	Baltimore	1870	Baltimore.
W. G. Tuttle	1846	North Carolina	1868	Abbeville, S. C.	1870	Caldwell county, N. C.
George C. Bynum	1841	Chatham county, N. C.	1867	Wilmington, N. C.	1871	Guildford county, N. C.
James Reid	1795	Caswell county, N. C.	1815	Virginia	1872	Greensboro, N. C.
William Holmes	1798	Virginia	1824	Virginia	1873	Henderson, N. C.
Alfred Norman	1804	Washington, N. C.	1828	Raleigh, N. C.	1873	Caswell county, N. C.
William Barringer	1816	Cabarrus county, N. C.	1844	Columbia, S. C.	1873	Greensboro, N. C.
Numa F. Reid	1825	Rockingham Co., N. C.	1851	Salisbury, N. C.	1873	Wentworth, N. C.
Charles E. Land	1833	Spartanburg, S. C.	1858	Columbia, S. C.	1874	Monroe, N. C.
William F. Clegg	1827	Chatham county, N. C.	1852	Louisburg, N. C.	1875	Chatham county, N. C.
E. W. Thompson	1833	Kershaw, S. C.	1854	South Carolina	1877	Morganton, N. C.
T. P. England	1845	McDowell county, N. C.	1869	Cheraw, S. C.	1878	Cleveland county, N. C.
W. D. Meacham	1833	Richmond county, N. C.	1855	Wilmington, N. C.	1878	Davidson county, N. C.
J. P. Moore	1818	Person county, N. C.	1853	Raleigh, N. C.	1878	Halifax county, N. C.
D. C. Johnson	1825	Randolph county, N. C.	1853	Raleigh, N. C.	1878	Randolph county, N. C.
W. M. D. Moore		South Carolina	1829	South Carolina	1879	North Carolina.
Jonn Jones	1810	Beaufort, N. C.	1850	North Carolina	1879	Beaufort, N. C.
I. H. Hill	1823	Randolph county, N. C.	1853	Raleigh, N. C.	1880	Sladesville, N. C.
William D. Lee	1833	Union, S. C.	1869	Cheraw, S. C.	1880	Shelby, N. C.
Ira T. Wyche	1816	Virginia	1838	Greensboro, N. C.	1880	LaGrange, N. C.
A. A. Boshamer	1847	Caswell county, N. C.	1870	Greensboro, N. C.	1881	Raleigh, N. C.
J. S. Erwin	1829	Clarendon, S. C.	1852	South Carolina	1881	King's Mountain, N. C.
R. M. Brown	1831	Charlotte, N. C.	1870		1881	Randolph county, N. C.
Jos. T. Arrington		North Carolina	1879	Wilson, N. C.	1881	Beaufort, N. C.
William Closs	1809	Virginia	1833	Petersburg, Va.	1882	Enfield, N. C.
Bennett T. Blake	1800	Virginia	1824	Virginia	1882	Wake county, N. C.
Braxton Craven	1822	Randolph county, N. C.	1857	Goldsboro, N. C.	1882	Trinity College, N. C.
Thomas A. Coon	1842	Alexander county, N. C.	1872	Fayetteville, N. C.	1882	Mocksville, N. C.
William M. Jordan	1813	Virginia	1833	Petersburg, Va.	1882	Roxboro, N. C.
Samuel B. Dozier		North Carolina	1853	Raleigh, N. C.	1882	Lenoir county, N. C.
J. R. Finley	1810	Baltimore, Md.			1882	Warren county, N. C.
Jeremiah Johnson	1811	Iredell county, N. C.	1840	Mocksville, N. C.	1883	North Carolina.
Edward Schulken		Wilmington, N. C.	1881	Durham, N. C.	1883	Wilmington, N. C.
Lemon Shell	1819	Brunswick county, Va.	1844	Pittsboro, N. C.	1883	Pineville, N. C.

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NAMES.	BIRTH.		JOINED CONFERENCE.		DEATH.	
	Year.	Place.	Year.	Place.	Year.	Place.
Oscar J. Brent	1829	Rockingham Co., N. C.	1855	Wilmington, N. C.	1883	Wadesboro, N. C.
Hiram P. Cole	1843	Moore county, N. C.	1866	Fayetteville, N. C.	1883	Concord, N. C.
Charles C. Dodson	1832	Patrick county, Va.	1863	Greensboro, N. C.	1884	Winston, N. C.
Jesse H. Guinn	1841	Virginia	1871	Charlotte, N. C.	1884	Rockingham, N. C.
John W. Lewis		Randolph county, N. C.	1833	Petersburg, Va.	1885	Thomasville, N. C.
Robert P. Bibb		Nelson county, Va.	1836	Virginia	1885	Trinity College, N. C.
Henry Gray	1800	Williamston, N. C.	1838	Greensboro, N. C.	1885	Durham county, N. C.
John W. Floyd	1822	Granville county, N. C.	1845		1885	Boone, N. C.
Charles H. Phillips	1814	Moore county, N. C.	1850	Warrenton, N. C.	1885	Randolph county, N. C.
John N. Andrews	1826		1854	Pittsboro, N. C.	1885	
Baxter C. Phillips	1841	Moore county, N. C.	1867	Wilmington, N. C.	1885	Durham, N. C.
Lemuel H. Gibbons	1844	Lenoir county, N. C.	1870	Greensboro, N. C.	1885	Chatham county, N. C.
William L. Hull	1854	Cabarrus county, N. C.	1879	Wilson, N. C.	1885	King's Mountain, N. C.
James Mahoney	1812	Sumter county, S. C.	1869	New Berne, N. C.	1885	Goldsboro, N. C.
William H. Watkins	1847	Richmond county, N. C.	1873	Goldsboro, N. C.	1886	Stanly county, N. C.

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CORRECTION.—On page 32 are figures reported to Conference as statistics. Upon revision of the tables the following are ascertained to be the correct figures :

Number of Sunday schools—886.

Number of Sunday school teachers—6,084.

Number of Sunday school scholars—50,983.

The " general minutes " on pages 67 and 68 give the correct figures.